

**The Weather**  
Oakland and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Sunday, probably showers, light southwest wind.

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## THAW IS ACQUITTED; SEEKS LIBERTY

# JAPAN SENDS ARMY INTO CHINA

## Aliens in Mexico Facing Death

### FOREIGNERS FEAR FOR LIVES

Not Much Confidence Felt in Zapata by Foreign Consuls

McManus Killing Brings Demand for Action by Brazilian Minister

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Anxiety for the safety of Americans in Mexico City continued here today, although administration officials expressed the hope that Zapata forces, which now occupy the city, would maintain order.

Rapid fire evacuation and occupation of the capital has brought such a chaotic condition of affairs, however, that some officials and diplomats believe no foreigners' lives are safe.

The killing of John E. McManus, the American dairy owner, in Mexico City, for which Zapata troops were reported responsible, did not tend to increase confidence in government circles that affairs would be maintained in a stable fashion.

It was expected here that General Salazar, post commander at Mexico City, would promptly carry out his intention to punish the guilty and make reparation to the family of the victim in response to demands of the American government. The Brazilian minister in the Mexican capital was under instructions to insist upon prompt compliance with these demands and to make it clear to General Salazar how seriously the United States regards the crime.

### OBREGON MISSING WITH HIS ARMY

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Mexico City was reported quiet today and officials here expected all conditions to improve with the occupation of the Zapata forces. Secretary Bryan said:

"I think we are in pretty good shape. Carranza has promised to permit people leaving the capital to travel over the portion of the railroad he controls, while the Zapata general in command there has undertaken to admit food supplies."

The whereabouts of General Obregon, commanding the Carranza forces which evacuated the city, is not known here. Some importance is attached to it by officials because of the bearing it will have on Carranza.

### Serenaders Beguile Gypsy Woman in Jail

Marie Yovanovich, a Gypsy woman, who with her small child was brought back here from Denver for violating her probation in a grand larceny charge, appeared today before Superior Judge Ogden and asked for a continuance of her probation. Deputy District Attorney interposed no objection and the case was continued for a report from the probation officers.

In the meantime the Gypsy woman is confined in the county jail while numerous male members of her tribe spend considerable time passing back and forth in the street beneath her window to cheer her in her confinement.

### Four Boys Killed in Oil Tank Explosion

NEW YORK, March 13.—The explosion of a large oil tank adjoining the Long Island freight yard in the east New York section of Brooklyn today killed four boys and seriously injured seven other persons. Four men, employees of the Drew Leitch Company, which owned the tank, were reported missing.

### One Drowns, 5 Hurt When Auto Upsets

MARYSVILLE, March 13.—S. D. Johnson, former councilman, was drowned last night while driving under an automobile which turned turtle and fell in a pool of water, five miles from here. Five other members of the automobile party were injured.

### SELLS, SLAYER OF VOGELS, ARRAIGNED HOODOO '13' PURSUES HIM



ALBERT SELLS, CONFESSED MURDERER OF THE VOGELS, PHOTOGRAPHED DURING HIS ARRAIGNMENT THIS MORNING. AND AL JENNINGS, FORMER BANDIT, WHO BEGARLED SELLS "SHIRRED ME MORE THAN ANY MAN I EVER MET."

### Bulldog 'Squealed,' Brought to Bay, He Despite Jennings' Prophecy

LOS ANGELES, March 13.—When Al Sells, the bandit, weakened in his cell in Oakland and "squealed" to his lawyer, "squealed again" in Oakland, and told everything he knew, Jennings today shook his head in amazement and said:

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### RECTOR OF CHURCH IS ACCUSED

Immorality Is Charge Brought Before Bishop Nichols

Affidavit Arraigns Minister of Fashionable Parish

BEVERLY, March 13.—Charges of immorality and conduct unbecoming a minister are contained in a sworn affidavit filed with Bishop William Ford Nichols today against Rev. William H. Webb, rector of the fashionable St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of this city. The charges are preferred by E. L. Jones of Sausalito.

"I have no statement to make whatsoever at this time," said the Rev. Mr. Webb today when told of the charges made against him.

"Do you care to deny these allegations?" he was asked.

"I said that I had no statement to make whatsoever at this time," he replied.

Justice of the Peace Paul Helmore of Sausalito admitted today that in his official capacity as a notary public he had affixed his signature to Jones' affidavit.

"The affidavit sworn to by Jones accused the rector of immorality. The deposition was sworn to March 10 and alleged two distinct acts of immoral conduct, one more serious than the other."

Asked whether affidavits of a similar nature had been sworn to before him by other persons, Judge Helmore replied negatively, but admitted that another young man had freely made similar accusations against the clergyman.

"I am not at liberty to divulge the identity of this second man," said the judge.

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### Man Leaps From Fourth Floor to His Death

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—Emil de Neuf, of 1538 Russell street, Berkeley, was instantly killed this afternoon when he either fell or jumped from the fourth floor of a building in course of construction at 725 Sutter street. His body was found crushed and bleeding in a court in the rear of the structure by Mother White, a carpenter of 232 Twenty-third street, who had just returned from luncheon.

White noticed a hat fall from the fourth floor and realizing that it ere should have been no one in that part of the building, investigated. He went to pick up the hat and found de Neuf's dead body near by.

According to witnesses in the structure de Neuf had never been there before and there was no one found who could give a reason for his presence. It is possible that he may have gone upstairs and purposely jumped out of the window. He was apparently about 41 years old.

De Neuf is an architect. He is survived by a widow and two children.

### Prominent Oaklander Dies While Abroad

LONDON, March 13.—Edward Graham Vincent died here today after a brief illness. His two sisters, Caroline and Gertrude Vincent, were present when their brother passed away.

Edward G. Vincent was a well-known resident of Oakland. His father built the Vincent block on Market street, between Seventh and Eighth, many years ago. Edward Vincent was for many years employed by William J. Dungey, when he was conducting a real estate business in this city. In the early days the Vincent family was one of the best known families in Oakland.

**OAKLAND RAINFALL**  
SA. BORN GATGE.

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|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Last 24 hours                       | 10    |
| Season to date                      | 22.25 |
| Last season at corresponding period | 26.34 |

## COERCION OF YUAN SHIH KAI MAY BE PLAN

Troops Convoyed Over China Sea by Squadron

British Admiral Plans to Force the Straits by Easter.

HONOLULU, March 13.—A Chinese mass meeting held here today to discuss the Japanese demands upon the Chinese Republic resulted in a message being cabled to the government at Peking, China, advising that the Japanese demands be refused, even if it resulted in war.

PEKING, China, March 13.—The Chinese government has official information to the effect that the second Japanese squadron, conveying two divisions of approximately 30,000 soldiers has sailed for China.

The forwarding of these troops will increase the number of Japanese soldiers in the garrisons in China to nearly 60,000. The new troops will be distributed in Manchuria, Shanghai, Tien-Tsin and Hankow, where the present forces at the Japanese garrisons number nearly thirty thousand.

It was made known in Tokyo several days ago that new forces of troops would be dispatched to the Japanese garrisons in China. The explanation was given that this was merely a shifting of troops such as is made at regular intervals, and it was understood that the troops now in China would be withdrawn on the arrival of the new forces. Subsequently, however, it was intimated that the garrisons now on duty would be retained pending the settlement of the difficulties which have arisen consequent to the presentation by Japan of demands upon China.

LONDON, March 13, 1:35 p. m.—General Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces on the continent, has sent the following to the war office:

A little further progress in the war was made by the Seventh Division in the direction of Aubers. The fighting has been very severe, as the enemy was strongly reinforced this morning opposite our right by at least two divisions. We captured 212 prisoners, however, and I hear there are more to come in.

"Our air craft has been very active and the railroad junctions at Don and Douai have been destroyed."

PARIS, March 13, 4:55 a. m.—Vice-Admiral Carden, commanding the British fleet operating against the Dardanelles, has expressed the opinion that they will be able to hammer their way through the straits before Easter, according to an Athens dispatch to the Journal.

### TURKS' DEFENSE STILL STUBBORN

PARIS, March 13, 11:30 p. m.—Operations of French and British warships against the fortifications at the entrance to the Dardanelles and in the first line field on March 10th and 11th are described in an official statement issued tonight by the ministry of marine. The communication says:

"During the day of the 10th, in bad weather two British warships shelled two forts at Bulair (on the Gallipoli peninsula, on the gulf of Saros), while two other British battleships bombarded the light batteries which command the bay of Morto on the entrance to the Dardanelles.

"During the nights of the 10th and 11th mine sweepers entered the straits under cover of the guns of a battleship and a cruiser and succeeded in operating in the first mine field, notwithstanding a hot fire from the guns of the defenses.

"French divisions rushed on the 11th operations begun the day before against the fortifications of Bulair and the light batteries above the bay of Morto."

The foregoing dispatch would seem to indicate that the allied fleet has not penetrated the Dardanelles so far as had been supposed or that the Turkish defense is still stubborn.

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## NEW POSTMASTER FOR OAKLAND

Joseph J. Rosborough Appointed to Succeed Paul Schafer

Joseph J. Rosborough, Oakland society man, and brother of the former tax collector of this county, is to be Oakland's new postmaster. This was the news that surprised local Democratic leaders today, when word came from Washington that President Wilson had signed the papers which will make the Oakland reality of the successor of Postmaster Paul Schafer. The new appointment is now in Washington and will return here in a short time to begin at once his new duties.

Rosborough's appointment came, it is declared by local Democrats, through his friendship for James K. Moffitt, Senator James D. Phelan and Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane. Many prominent local Democrats had been candidates for the office, and the Democratic County Central Committee was divided in endorsing several candidates, about half the delegation favoring H. E. Harwood for the office and the others favoring different candidates.

Among those seeking the office was Rosborough, while member of a pioneer Democratic family, himself never took a prominent part in Alameda county Democratic politics. He is prominent in the Knights of Columbus, being postmaster of the fourth degree.

The new postmaster is 35 years of age and is the son of the late Judge A. T. Rosborough of Siskiyou county, who for years served on the district court bench. His brother, Alec Rosborough, now manager of the California-Oregon Power Company, was elected in 1905 county tax collector of this county, later taking up private commercial work.

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## HOLIDAY FOR AUDITORIUM

Arrangements for the general sale and exhibition of the new and improved Auditorium building will be completed and ready for its formal opening during the latter part of May. The general committee announced today consists of the following members:

Mayor Mott, Commissioner Anderson, Auditor Marston, Louis W. Buckles, Joseph H. Caine, E. B. Loomis, Alfred Holman, G. W. Loomis, Jules Abrahamson, Walter H. Loomis, David L. Armstrong, Walter Walker, Dr. J. Loren Pease, John F. Connors, G. B. Daniels, E. L.

Vander Nulder, S. E. Biddle, Alexander Schreiner, M. J. McDougall, W. A. Schreiner, J. C. Schreiner, James G. Gantland, Dr. C. A. Waller, Miss Ethel Moore and J. L. G. Gantland.

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### 'NO UNMERGER' ESHLEMAN

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—John M. Eshleman, lieutenant-governor of California and former president of the State Railroad Commission, placed himself on record this morning as strenuously opposed to the unmerger of the Southern Pacific and Central Pacific railroads.

"In my opinion a separation of these lines would lower their efficiency," Eshleman testified. "I believe a probable raise in rates would be the direct result and I think that in order to handle the business the railroads would have to form a traffic agreement which would be practically the same thing as operating as one road."

Eshleman called attention to the present rate for lumber from Weed to Colton, now \$6.00, and if the roads were separated it would probably be \$11. He remarked that there could be no direct line from San Francisco to Oregon, and none between the bay cities and the San Joaquin valley.



## HEARS POWER MERGER PLAN OUTLINED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—The proposed reorganization of the United Light and Power Company of Oakland and its subsidiary corporations, which it is planned to combine in the Consolidated Light and Power Company, was up for leaving before Railroad Commissioner Thelen today.

The Consolidated Light and Power Company is asking for permission to issue \$2,450,000 worth of bonds and to take over and pay off the indebtedness of the United Light and Power Company and its subsidiary corporations. These are the Equitable Light and Power Company, the Consumers Light and Power Company, the South Side Light and Power Company, all of San Francisco, and the Central Light and Power Company of Oakland. It is also proposed to issue \$10,000 worth of stock to the great Western Power Company in consideration of that corporation's guarantee of the bond issue.

Charles Murphy, vice-president and general manager of the United Light and Power Company, testified at the hearing of the plan of reorganization today. He gave data regarding bonds and stocks and was instructed to prepare certain tables for presentation at the next hearing. One protestant of the United Properties Company was represented by Attorney Walter Linforth. Attorneys Guy Earl and Charles Hall of Oakland appeared for the new corporation, the Consolidated Light and Power Company and the United Light and Power Company was represented by Attorney R. H. Marshall. Attorney Gavin McNabb was interested in the plan.

Attorney W. L. Brobeck was present in connection with the proposed investigation of the rates charged to the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway by the United Light and Power Company, but that matter was not taken up today.

## Berkeley Quadruplets Nearing Age of Six

BERKELEY, March 12.—While the eyes of the state are turned toward Reading where Mrs. McKnight has just given birth to quadruplets, Berkeley comes up with the state with the announcement of a mother who has not only given birth to four children at the same time but has raised them to the age of six years. Mrs. S. H. Secombe, wife of Dr. Secombe, a Methodist minister of 1334 University avenue.

The children are six years of age in May. They are two boys and two girls. Paul, Daniel, Eve and Edie. They were born in Vermont and weighed an average of three and a half pounds at the time of birth. Only Daniel was handicapped by a dislocation of his shoulder but after being placed in a cast for several months he not only recovered but is one of the brightest of the quartet. The Secombes have three other children, two girls 13 and 14, and a 3-year-old boy.

Rev. Secombe at present out of work, is doing odd jobs while waiting for any kind of permanent employment.

If no promise had been made at any time there is upon us an honorable obligation to vote this money—Colonel John P. Irish, Exposition bond election March 19.

## FINDS STOLEN JEWELRY

A gold watch and a diamond scarf-pin, stolen from the home of Mrs. Lillian Brown in Melrose a week ago, was found by her today in the barn at the rear of her home. The jewelry was valued at \$150. It is thought that in making his escape the burglar must have taken refuge in the barn, where he dropped the jewels.

## WEARS \$10,000 GOWN IN FRANKLIN FILM



BETTY NANSSEN

The most remarkable display of gowns, millinery and other articles of fashionable dress ever made by an actress is being shown by Betty Nansen in "The Celebrated Scandal" which commences a four days' engagement at the Franklin theater tomorrow. In Jose Echegaray's widely discussed drama of passion, intrigue and revenge, with the evil power of gossip for a powerful background, Miss Nansen literally astounds by the richness and variety of her gowns. In the greatest scene of the drama she appears in her famous "Golden Gown." This cost \$10,000 and was designed by Paul Poiret, the Parisian wizard of women's garb. It contains materials from twelve different countries and is of cloth of gold, gem-encrusted brocade and hand-embroidered silk. The "tunic" portion of it alone weighs forty-two pounds so heavily bedecked is it with dazzling fabrics and various precious stones, that Mrs. Nansen's wardrobe is said to be valued at \$50,000.

"The Celebrated Scandal" will be shown tomorrow, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The performances are continuous from 1:30 to 11 p. m.

## War Summary

The British army, to which has been assigned the task of leading the present attack on the western front, is still attempting to push forward and thus far German efforts to drive it back apparently have failed. Today's official report from Berlin says that an effort to recapture Neuve Chapelle had been made for a time, but was abandoned later when the Germans encountered superior forces of British. The correspondent of a Paris newspaper telegraphs that the British artillery was so accurate that the Germans moved their headquarters from Lille.

Spasmodic fighting was in progress yesterday in Champagne and the French army is leaving the initiative to the British, as no serious engagements were in progress in the vicinity of Neuve Chapelle.

The German war office states that the new attack in Northern Poland has thus far been successful and the Russians have been compelled to fall back beyond the Bobr river. The German war office reports that the German advance on Przemyśl, said by Berlin yesterday to have pushed within two and a half miles of the city, had been checked.

An announcement from the French ministry of marine states that the bombardment of the Dardanelles was continued yesterday, but leaves in doubt the amount of damage inflicted on the Turkish fortifications. The statement refers to attacks on batteries commanding the bay of Mörto at the entrance to the Dardanelles and to mine sweeping operations in the first mine field. Previous official reports gave the impression that the Turkish defenses were being destroyed, but the defense works at the narrowest part of the passage were under attack and that one-third of the straits had been cleared of mines.

The Turkish armies in Turkish Armenia, along the Black Sea and in Northwestern Persia have sustained further defeats. In Armenia the Russians captured an entire Turkish battery and in Persia the Turks were again compelled to fall back.

## PERSIAN REFUGEE TELLS HORRORS

Over 50,000 Christians Flee From Urumia Into Russia; Thousands Succumb.

NEW YORK, March 12.—A story of massacre, devastation and deaths from privation was told tonight by Dr. A. D. Yusuf, a Persian physician who has just arrived here from his home country, in describing the recent invasion of Urumia, Northern Persia, by the Kurds. At the approach of the invaders 50,000 Christians fled north through the mountains into Russia, many making the journey on foot because of the scarcity of horses and other means of transportation. Dr. Yusuf, who with his wife took part in this flight, declared that the fugitives left the roads behind them strewn with thousands of their dead who had succumbed to hardships. Dr. Yusuf said he had received reports that many of the Christians who were unable to flee because of age infirmities or lack of transportation, had been massacred. About 15,000 Christian refugees are now under the protection of the American mission of Urumia, and 20,000 are in a like position while others are scattered in thousands in towns along the Russian border where there are missions. Dr. Yusuf said. The missions, he declared, seem to be the only hope. This is largely due to the fact that they fly the American flag.

"Shortly after we started," Dr. Yusuf said, "we heard that the invaders had captured Urumia City and that they had hanged Bishop Mar Eila of the Russian church, and seventy-five prominent Christians."

## LONDON MEETING URGES COMMANDEERING OF FOOD

LONDON, March 12.—Under the auspices of the Workers' War Emergency National Committee, Arthur Henderson, M. P., presided at a mass meeting held here to discuss the problem of food. A resolution urging the government to commandeer the stock of wheat in the country at a fair price for resale to the public was adopted. The meeting also urged action to control more ships to bring wheat from Argentina, Russia and Canada and to guarantee a fixed price for the 1915 crop.

James Andrew Seddon, chairman of the Trades Union Congress of 1914 ascribed inflated prices to three causes: First, inflation on the part of the government; second, gambling in the wheat markets of the world; and third, the immoral exploitation of the laborer by the shipping ring in this country.

Subsequently the meeting adopted resolutions calling upon the government to commandeer all supplies of coal and distribute them to the consumers through municipal and co-operative agencies. The resolutions also recommended that railroad facilities be pooled and operated in such a way as to obtain the greatest economic advantages.

## RESUME BOMBARDMENT

PARIS, March 12, 6:30 a. m.—The bombardment of the Dardanelles was resumed yesterday (Friday morning) by French and British battleships. Athens. Seventy small mine sweepers are reported to be continuing their efforts to clear the mine field under the direction of officers representing the British and French navies. "The allied fleets," says the Morning Post, "have eight or ten forts and a certain number of coast batteries to reduce, but it is the general opinion they will enter the sea of Marmora within a fortnight if the land forces co-operating with them also can continue their advance."

## DISCHARGES PRIZE CARGO

LONDON, March 12.—The American steamer Antilla, from New York, February 9, for Malmo and Copenhagen, is at present at Dundee, where she is discharging that part of her cargo which is to go before a British prize court. The Antilla came into Kirkwall February 26 and was there detained. She reached Dundee March 10.

## POINCARÉ AT FRONT

PARIS, March 12.—President Poincaré made a short trip to the front today, visiting the sick and wounded in advanced base hospitals, returning to Paris this evening.

## COUNT WITTE DOESN'T RUSSIA

By Associated Press. LONDON, March 12, 9:30 a. m.—Count Sergius Yulievich Witte, Russia's first prime minister, died last night, says a Petrograd dispatch to the Reuters telegraph company.

Count Witte, who was born June 29, 1849, in Vilna, was one of the Russian plenipotentiaries at Paris, 1901, in the negotiations for peace with Japan. He was afterward made a count and appointed president of the new ministry, but retired in 1905 and held no important post after that time. Count Witte was taken sick a week ago. His death was due to influenza.

Count Witte was regarded as in some respects one of the most remarkable men his country had produced, but his reputation was even greater abroad than at home. Throughout his career, during which he accomplished much for Russia, he was many-sided and versatile, though his great ability and remarkable capacity for work never were questioned. Regardless of his work as a statesman, his chief claim in Russia was for his development of manufacturing industries, the expansion of railroads and the placing of the monetary system upon a gold basis.

## DEMOCRATIC ARISTOCRAT

Although always a firm supporter of the monarchy, he recognized the power of the people and had democratic tendencies. On his father's side his family was of common origin, but his mother was a descendant of the Ruriks, the old rulers of Russia before the election of the Romanoff dynasty.

After his graduation from the University of Odessa, Witte entered the railroad service in the shipping department. He mastered the question of the gold standard and his career was rapid. In the meantime he had married a sister of General Radloff. He first attracted attention at the capital during the Russo-Turkish war by the administrative results he displayed in the movement of army supplies. He went to Petrograd in 1879 and was given increasingly responsible posts in the railroad service. Alexander III appointed him minister of railways and commerce in 1892 and soon afterward minister of finance. It was then that he began to develop his great scheme for the creation of home manufacturers and the wide extension of Russia's railroad system, which eventually took the Siberian road to the Pacific.

## GREAT CONSTRUCTIVE WORK

In his efforts along these lines Witte used every power of the state. He gave subventions and government orders until factories and mills were running full blast. Then he had the state take over the private railroads, the state treasury guaranteeing the bonds. To do all this he borrowed immense sums in France. Under the slogan of "regeneration" he had the state take over the vodka business of the empire, thus vastly increasing the government revenues. His crowning achievement was regarded, however, as the establishment of the gold standard in 1899, the height of his power.

His policy in regard to Manchuria, which he desired to develop from a commercial and not from a political point of view, was his last great triumph against him, which resulted in his removal in 1903 as minister of finance. He went for a time to Paris, but returned to Petrograd when the Russo-Japanese war broke out. In full command of the situation he asked for advice in regard to the conduct of the struggle, but when Theodore Roosevelt, the president of the United States, prevailed upon the emperor to negotiate peace, the tide turned and practically the entire nation united in demanding the selection of Witte as plenipotentiary. At the Portsmouth conference he succeeded in gaining terms under which Russia was not obliged to pay a cash indemnity to Japan. This was considered a remarkable achievement, and Witte became a hero in his own country. The emperor rewarded him for his services by appointing him a count.

## FRIEND OF JEWS

Witte throughout his career was regarded as a supporter of the Jews. On several occasions he made public utterance of his belief that the government should cease its persecution of the Jews, and after his second marriage he exerted his influence to the Jews.

The count's second wife, whom he married shortly after he became minister of finance, was a Jewess. She was an exceedingly clever woman, and stories have been told of her influence over the emperor and the profits she made. It was one of Witte's ambitions after his second marriage to secure social recognition for his wife. This was refused him even during the height of his power as minister of finance. It was even said that the emperor once informed him bluntly that he must forget that he was married. Victory, however, came at last, when he was given the title of count and appointed premier. The emperor received Count Witte at the palace at Peterhof, imperial recognition being the open sesame to all doors.

## IS FIRST PREMIER

It was shortly after the conclusion of peace with Japan that the Russian people began clamoring harder than ever for a share in the government. When the imperial manifesto was issued which granted some of the demands of the revolutionaries, Witte's first real cabinet, October 31, 1905. His appointment as president of the council of ministers was announced a week later. The next day he pledged himself to support the emperor at a convocation of the National Assembly. Because of the opposition of the powerful interests opposed to democratic reforms he experienced considerable difficulty in forming a cabinet. The liberals refused to lift a finger to aid him. At the second session of his cabinet, November 11, a project was considered for placing the council of the empire on an elective basis.

This was a difficult period in the internal history of Russia. There were serious labor troubles in all parts of the empire. Serious threats on the part of Poles to proclaim a revolution led Count Witte to advise the emperor to declare martial law in Poland. Troops were employed to quell disorders in various sections of the country. Reports were current that he had been condemned to death by the anarchists. On November 18, the premier made a personal appeal to workers to return to their duties, but his efforts had no immediate effect, and the workmen's council broke

## OFFICIAL WAR STATEMENTS

By Associated Press. BERLIN, March 12, by wireless to Sydney.—The German official report today on the progress of the war reads as follows:

"To the south of Ypres isolated British attacks were easily repulsed. Our movement for the recapture of the village of Neuve Chapelle began successfully, but thereafter encountered a superior British force and for this reason it was not continued."

"The British in this locality have been showing great aerial activity. The day before yesterday one and yesterday two British aviators were brought down by German fire."

"In the Champagne district there has been a renewal of fighting at isolated places. All the attacks made by the French have been repulsed, the enemy losing heavily. Two hundred French soldiers were taken prisoners. Fog and snow have hampered the operations in the Vosges."

"The Russians have retreated from the Augustow district and the country to the north of the Vistula are beyond the River Bobr and under the guns of Grodno. At a point northeast of Posen near the Orze river, a Russian attack has been repulsed."

By Associated Press. PARIS, via London, March 12, 3:55 p. m.—The official communication issued this afternoon by the French war department said:

"In the bend of the Yser the Belgian army has consolidated and increased the results obtained by it on Thursday."

"The British troops continue to progress. They crossed the brook of Lays, which runs parallel to the road from Neuve Chapelle to Fleury. At the end of the day they reached a road known as the Highway to Hell, which runs from the town of Aubers to the suburbs of that place. To the southwest of Eltere they carried several groups of houses which were being strongly prepared for defensive purposes. The total number of prisoners captured during the day was 1000. The Germans lost several machine guns."

"To the left and to the right of the British army French troops supported them with many heavy artillery and machine guns and infantry fire."

"In the Champagne district our progress continues. At the end of the day on the northern slopes of the ridge to the northeast of Mesnil we captured 150 prisoners, including six officers."

"In the Vosges, on Reichenkopf, the enemy, after a violent bombardment, attempted an assault, which was, however, brought to a halt by our fire."

## GERMANS MAKING COUNTER IN WEST

Attack by English Forces to Relieve Russia Is Plan of Allies.

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operations against the Turkish fortifications have not been entirely successful. Previous information has been to the effect that Chanak Kalesi and other forts at the narrowest part of the straits had been successfully bombarded, that about a third of the passage had been cleared of mines and that some of the more important batteries had been silenced.

## SUBMARINE SINKS ENGLISH CRUISER

LONDON, March 12.—The admiralty announces the loss of the auxiliary cruiser Bayano while the vessel was engaged in patrol duty. In its statement of the disaster, the admiralty says:

"On the 10th of March wreckage of the Bayano and bodies were discovered, and circumstances point to her having been sunk by an enemy torpedo."

"Eight officers and eighteen men were rescued, but it is feared that the remainder of the crew were lost."

"The captain of the Belfast steamer Castleguard reports passing Thursday morning a quantity of wreckage and bodies floating in life belts. He attempted to search for possible survivors, but was prevented by the presence of an enemy submarine, which gave chase for twenty minutes."

The Belfast correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the Bayano was torpedoed Thursday morning at 9 o'clock off Corwall Point, Wigtownshire, Scotland, and that nearly 200 lives were lost, as the cruiser sank almost immediately. The vessel had a crew of about 216 men on board.

The Bayano was a comparatively new steamer. She was built at Glasgow in 1912 and was owned by Elder & Co. before she was taken over by the British government and fitted out as an auxiliary cruiser. The Bayano was of 2500 tons displacement and 418 feet long.

## GERMANS COUNTER IN WESTERN FIELD

AMSTERDAM, via London, March 12.—The Handelsblad's Sluis correspondent says "The German offensive assumed a new phase yesterday afternoon south of Dixmude, where a strong attack was organized, supported by heavy artillery. All the troops in North Flanders have been sent in the direction of Ypres and La Bassée and great troop movements have been taking place by way of Bruges and Courtrai."

off negotiations with him two days later. On March 10, however, after an all-night session, the council decided to end the strike.

The number of enemies of the premier steadily increased, and the demand for his removal gained strength. Dissatisfied with the treatment at the hands of the emperor, and feeling that it was beyond his power to restore tranquility, Count Witte tendered his resignation as premier December 7, 1905, but was not accepted, and he was asked to retain his office until he was relieved. Official announcement that his resignation had been accepted was made, however, on May 2, 1906, and his retirement from public life became complete. In his farewell message to Count Witte, Emperor Nicholas thanked him cordially for his services to the empire.

## CONVICTION IN TRUST CASE REVERSED

By Associated Press. CINCINNATI, March 12.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reversed the lower court today in the case of the government against John H. Patterson, president, and twenty-six other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register Company of Dayton, Ohio, and remanded it back to the district court for a new trial.

Patterson and his associates were found guilty of violating the Sherman anti-trust law and sentenced to serve prison terms and fines.

The defendants in the National Cash Register case, who were indicted by a federal grand jury at Cincinnati three years ago, numbered thirty men, including the president, John H. Patterson and twenty-nine other officials or former officials and directors or heads of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio. Twenty-nine were convicted by a jury in the United States District Court and twenty-seven, including President Patterson, were sentenced to serve approximately a year's term in Ohio jails. The verdict was one of the most sweeping ever given under the criminal section of the Sherman law.

## WHEN CASE BEGAN

The indictment was reported to United States District Judge Howard C. Sentences were passed by Judge Hollister on February 17. President Patterson was sentenced to pay \$5000 fine and serve one year in the Miami jail.

The following were sentenced to costs and one year imprisonment at Miami, Montgomery or Warren county jails: Edward A. Deeds, William F. Blipson, William H. Muzzy, William E. Johnson, Robert Patterson, Thomas J. V. Joseph, Joseph E. Alexander, C. H. Harned, Frederick S. High, Philip Eves, A. A. Wentz, George E. Morgan, Mont L. Linsley, Earl B. Wilson, Alex. M. Sinclair, John J. Range, M. G. Keith, J. C. Laird, W. V. Howe, H. H. Sperson, Charles T. Williams, J. Charles A. Snyder, Myer N. Jacobs and Walter Cook, while J. D. Hayward and A. A. Thomas received sentences of nine months.

The case of one of the men indicted, Edgar E. New York, was dismissed while the sentence of another, George C. Edgerton, was suspended. The sentence of the third, William C. Cummings, was deferred, as he was seriously ill at the time Judge Hollister pronounced judgment.

## APPEAL IS TAKEN

Notice of appeal to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals was immediately given by the attorneys for the convicted men. The court fixed President Patterson's bond at \$100,000 and the remaining defendants' bonds at \$5000 each. As soon as possible thereafter the record of the case, the most voluminous ever filed in the local courts, was placed in the hands of the upper courts.

The trial and for five days each week the business of the National Cash Register Company was conducted in these quarters. Clerks, stenographers and other help were kept here. Special trains bore the defendants back and forth between Cincinnati and Dayton on Friday nights and Monday mornings.

The government's case was handled by District Attorney Sherman T. McPherson and his assistants, Edward Moulthrop and special assistants to the attorney general, C. F. Harrison of Columbus and John Lott of Tiffin, Ohio.

## Prison Directors Are Sustained by Court

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—The board of prison directors was upheld by the supreme court of California today in its refusal to allow credit to a prisoner who had violated his parole. The court held that the decision as to whether a convict was to be allowed time for good behavior if he had a record of previous violations, lay with the board.

The case was that of W. J. Stanton, sent to San Quentin for 25 years for murder in the second degree and incarcerated February 5, 1904.

Stanton would ordinarily have been released with good behavior May 5, 1911. He had been allowed his liberty on probation but had frequented saloons and was returned to the prison. There were also other alleged violations of rules against him. The board declined to release him and he applied to the supreme court for a writ of habeas corpus. He will now have to serve until February 5, 1921.

## FEEL BLUE—OF JUST STUPID!

Sluggish bowels and torrid liver usually go together and it does not take long for constipation to produce a bad condition—feeling of heaviness, or "blues," headaches, palpitation or other malady. Indeed, when in this condition the system invites more serious illness and is not able to throw off disease. Foley Cathartic Tablets are a wholesome, laxative and cleansing cathartic. They act without incensing, griping or sickening. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

## RECTOR ACCUSED BEFORE BISHOP

Formal Charges of Misconduct Are Laid in Affidavit.

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Judge, in response to further inquiries. "He swore to no affidavit, but he was lying in making his charges against the Rev. Mr. Webb."

TOLD OBERGYNAN. The Rev. Ross Tierman, pastor of Christ Church at Sausalito, admitted today that Jones had spoken to him of the charges against the Rev. Mr. Webb.

"I told him," said the Rev. Mr. Tierman, "that if he had any such charges to make the bishop would consider them only in affidavit form. What happened after that I do not know."

Bishop Nichols said today that Jones' affidavit had been filed with him and that he is conducting a personal investigation of the allegations.

"I do not care to discuss these charges at this time," said Bishop Nichols. "It is true that such an affidavit has been filed with me and I am now investigating."

The Rev. Mr. Webb is presiding over the fashionable St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of Belvedere, under license from the diocese of San Joaquin, of which Bishop Sanford is the head.

## IN CHURCH TWO YEARS

About two years ago the Rev. Mr. Webb came to Belvedere with his wife from Lakeport and at once they became popular in exclusive circles about Belvedere and Tiburon.

They figured in many functions and the clergyman held the respect of his flock in the fashionable Belvedere church.

News of the sensational charges of immorality against the rector today fell like a bombshell over the fashionable homes in Belvedere, startling the many friends of the pastor in that exclusive district.

## SWEDISH STEAMER WRECKED BY MINE

LONDON, March 12, 4 p. m.—The Swedish steamer Anna struck a mine off Scarborough on the east coast of England this morning and foundered. Two members of her crew were killed by the explosion. Eighteen were rescued by a passing steamer.

The Marine records give two Swedish steamships named Anna. Both are small, being each of about 125 tons.

## FOUR MILES IS GAIN BY BRITISH

PARIS, March 12, 11 a. m.—The advance of the British troops in the vicinity of Neuve Chapelle is estimated at about four miles. In a dispatch reaching here today from Bethune, the Germans are declared to have been forced back beyond the forest. This advance of the British includes their various forward movements since beginning of their activities at this point.

## Armed Thugs Engage P. O. Guards in Duel

Two years heavily armed robbed the postoffice safe at Plymouth, Amador County, at 1:30 this morning, fought a pistol battle with the night watchman of the town and, escaping on foot to the hills, are being pursued by a posse of armed men.

The yeggs got \$200 from the postoffice safe, which they opened by working the combination.

Post Inspector Leonard, with Deputy Inspectors Andrus and Madiera, upon notified of the robbery, immediately left for Plymouth to help hunt the two desperadoes.

According to the reports received here, the watchman came upon the two men just as they had finished robbing the safe. They ran past the watchman and when he began to shoot they returned the fire.

## Women and Children Attack Bakeries

MADRID, via Paris, March 12, 4:40 a. m.—Serious bread riots occurred yesterday at Joneta, where a mob of women and children attacked the bakeries. The police were obliged to charge several times before order was restored.

## HEAVY FINE IMPOSED

BERLIN, via London, March 12.—Because the inhabitants of Lille, a city in France occupied by the Germans, made a demonstration in honor of a group of prisoners of war brought into the city the German military authorities in control imposed a tax of 500,000 francs, to be made by the city before March 20. The people of Lille also were forbidden to leave their houses between 5 o'clock in the evening and 7 o'clock in the morning.

## JOFFRE THANKS WOMAN

PARIS, March 12.—General Joffre, the French commander, has sent a letter to Mrs. Clara Washington Lopp of New York, thanking her for the large supply of tobacco she sent for distribution among the French soldiers. Most of the supply was obtained in New York.

## Freedom From Worry

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## HOWLAND TO FACE GRAND JURY NOW

Denver Representative Must  
Explain Receipt of Money  
Package in House.

Associated Press.  
DENVER, March 12.—In inquiry into circumstances surrounding the receipt of a package containing money by Representative William M. Howland of Denver while at his desk in the House on February 9, Howland today with the announcement by District Attorney John A. Rush that Howland had been summoned to appear before the county grand jury at once. The announcement followed a session of a special House investigating committee last night, lasting until after midnight.

Howland testified last night that \$15 were sent to his desk by Dr. Mary Bates to be paid to a woman detective. He repudiated previous testimony before the committee that the money was sent by George C. Waterman, a business partner, and that it was the share of the amount realized from the sale of a hog on their ranch.

"I testified falsely to protect a woman," he told the committee.

Doctor Bates, who followed Howland on the stand, testified that she sent the money to Howland, but he did not know how the money was to be used. Mrs. L. L. Hartzell, a woman detective, testified that she was employed by Doctor Bates to "shadow" Officer Phillips of the Denver Juvenile Court and that she received \$15 in payment for the service. Four so-called "juvenile court" bills were recently passed by the House, one of which would abolish the court presided over by Judge Ben B. Lindsey.

Howland's "real explanation" regarding the receipt of the money followed the testimony of Waterman, who also repudiated his statements at a previous hearing. He declared that the hog ranch story was "framed" and said he swore falsely to "protect a friend." Waterman has also been summoned to appear before the grand jury. The report of the investigating committee is expected to be submitted to the House early next week.

## BURGLARS TWO. POLICE TOO, EACH CAPTURE ONE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—Police Officer McDonald was standing at Pacific street and Grant avenue this morning and Patrolman Coleman was a block away at Pacific and Kearny street. Between them were two burglars and each of the officers succeeded in capturing one. McDonald saw men acting suspiciously in front of the saloon of John Figue, Pacific street and Bartlett alley. As he approached the man ran. Reaching the saloon door McDonald caught the second man running out with a diamond in his hand. He placed him under arrest, blew his whistle and Coleman caught the first culprit as he ran down towards the water front. An investigation showed that the saloon had been broken into and \$18.50 taken. The burglars had overlooked a sack containing \$43.50. They were the names of Carl Graham and John Murphy and were charged with burglary.

## HOLD-UP MEN TAKE TICKETS AND CASH

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—Louis Hurling and William Henderson, residents of Oakland, were on their way to the docks to take a ferry for home this morning with their tickets in their pockets, when they were held up by two men. The robbers had made their acquaintance in a saloon on Third street and waylaid them as they were entering Pier 40. They were robbed of their tickets and a total of \$39 in cash.

Harry Bronson of 7 Washington was held up by a lone highwayman at the point of a revolver this morning at Washington and Drum streets. He was relieved of a watch and chain.

Six men, four of them masked, participated in the holding up of Howard Holland of Ross as he was on his way to the ferry for the last boat shortly after midnight. They took \$18.50 from his pocket.

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## FASHION SHOW IS MOST BRILLIANT SUCCESS INTERESTING DISPLAY WILL END TONIGHT

Three models prominently displayed in the Oakland Fashion Show. Miss Jeanette Reed wears the gown which is a copy of the Mme. Sren model, of figured tulle in brown and white, with the high girdle, zilla-plated skirt suggesting a of mid-Victorian moose and high yoke effect, with the embroidered chiffon vest. Miss Muriel McCoy wears the Belgian blue puss willow taffeta copied from the Beer model, and Miss Edith Adams appears in the Paquin copy, which is of cadet blue crepe meteor, with box-plaited skirt and empire effect. The pictures were made at Abrahamson Brothers' store.



## Oakland's Superb Exposition of Styles for 1915 Draws Record Attendance

With the closing of the stores in the downtown business district tonight, Oakland's 1915 Fashion Show, the most brilliant, interesting and complete in the history of the east bay communities, will come to an end. Merchants report that up to this afternoon, almost twice the number of people have visited their stores during the three days of the garment and fabric exposition as viewed the 1914 Fashion Show.

The fashion show that is about to close has proven two very important things—that American designers and American manufacturers equal, if they do not surpass, the designers and manufacturers of Europe, and that Oakland shops can answer every demand of any metropolitan community.

The outstanding feature of the Fashion Show has been the "Made in America" atmosphere. In previous years, prior to the war, little or nothing in the garment, shoe or chapeau line was considered "right" unless it was imported, and bore the stamp of foreign design and foreign manufacture. This year's wonderful exhibit has proven beyond peradventure of a doubt that Paris is no longer the spring of inspiration of the fashion world.

HIGH QUALITY MARK.  
The fabrics displayed this year are conceded by all to exceed in beauty of texture and coloring those which were formerly displayed as having come from Europe. As to the designing, it cannot be surpassed. True, many of the gowns and tailored costumes shown are modeled on the lines of gowns and costumes originally designed by European artists. But there are many other garments of American design, whose inspiration came from New York and others of the large Eastern cities.

Oakland's importance as a shopping city was clearly shown through the Fashion Show. No more need Alameda county residents go away from Oakland for garments of any kind. Rich and poor alike can be well served in the local shops, each according to their means. Every line—be it gowns, coats, cloaks, hats, lingerie or shoes—is full and complete.

The streets today present a pretty scene. Thousands of prettily gowned women crowded about the business section, entering and leaving stores, and "window shopping," drinking in the glories of the colors, the designs, the texture of the beautiful things on display.

THINGS AT CAPWELL'S.  
Capwell's has a complete line of everything that is fashionable in the present exposition. On an upper floor a stage has been erected, where living models, both of children and young women, show off to the best advantage the new garments, hats and boots.

Taft and Penroyer have made a specialty of choice imported fabrics and garments. They have also announced that every day for the next few weeks will be a Fashion Show for them, as their windows, facing on three streets, are to be entirely given over to the display of spring modes.

Kahn's display has attracted thousands. Afternoon and evening gowns are seemingly specialized in at this store, although the Fashion Show display is complete in every way. The Kahn display shows that this is indeed to be a braided season. Practically every tailored suit in the house has a touch of braid. Flowered organdies are to be seen in profusion throughout the fabrics exposition.

Abrahamson Brothers have given over two floors to the modes exhibit. The second is devoted to the showing of the latest of the late millinery, and the entire third floor is utilized for the display of gowns, tailored garments, cloaks and fabrics. An especial feature of the Abrahamson show are the new English top coats in sand and putty shades, lined in figured pompadour silk.

AMONG OUTFITTERS.  
The Columbia Outfitter company is displaying an unusually complete line of tailored garments, which are in all the new colors—sand, colored, garbarding, army blue cloth, Belgian blue, checked patterns, and plum colored mohair. Most of the suits are given the military effect through the use of braid, frogs and belts.

Cherry's and Cogswell's also have unusually attractive displays of tailored dresses, as well as street, afternoon and evening gowns. The window displays at both places are particularly attractive.

Cosmetics and lingerie are featured at the store of the Crescent Corset Company. The new shapes in "Camille" and "Redfern" corsets, showing that the "slender slouch" has been discarded, are on display. The new corsets incline to a natural curve, and the upright posture and the bust is natural, showing its right curve to the figure in front. Careful corseting is imperative under the new costumes.

Hale Brothers' display is lavish. No particular thing is featured. All the new modes in everything, from hats to footwear, are shown.

The Eastern Outfitter Company, Friedman's, the Greater Oakland Cloak Company, Manheim and Mazor, the New York and Pacific Cloak and Suit House, S. N. Wood & Company, Mosbacher's, and the Toggery are also showing elaborate displays of the new gowns. Most of the stores who are participating in the Fashion Show are showing the latest in children's dresses. Gerwin's hat display is a revelation of beauty. The Moss Grove House is displaying the latest accessories.

Men's modes—and there are many—are on display in Rock Brothers (Hieemars), House and Ramasse, and Money's. Back Street. Lee Bertillon is showing men's new things in men's hats.

Shoes are being exhibited for Fashion Show visitors at the Royal Shoe Company, the Sorosis, Rosentons, Eies Shoe Company and the Park Shoe Company.

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## FIGHTING LEPROSY; KILLED BY DISEASE

Sir George Turner, Noted English Scientist, Martyr to Profession.

By Associated Press.  
LONDON, March 12, 4:10 a. m.—The death at Coleorton, Devon, of Sir George Turner is announced. Death was caused by leprosy, contracted during research work to discover a cure for the disease. Sir George worked for many years in South Africa and discovered a cure for the rinderpest. He also had seen service as medical officer of health in Cape Colony and the Transvaal and later was engaged in research in England. He was born in Melbourne in 1851.

Dr. Turner's most important medical achievements were in South Africa, where he discovered a serum which stamped out the rinderpest and checked the ravages of an epidemic of typhoid fever which was sweeping the military hospitals and concentration camps during the Boer war.

He became interested in a leper asylum at Pretoria, where he supervised the campaign against the second scourge of rinderpest in 1901. In the leper camp were nearly one hundred Dutch and native patients. Dr. Turner devoted all his spare time to research into the nature of the disease. In addition to his regular work, he saw these patients twice a day. The desire to find a remedy for the disease became his chief ambition, but it was found exceedingly difficult because the lower animals on which it is possible to experiment are capable of contracting the disease.

After several years' work, most of which was done after his retirement from the health service upon reaching the age limit, he found that he had contracted leprosy. From that time until his death he lived at the leper camp and gave himself up exclusively to his researches. He was regarded as one of the most eminent men of that disease.

LADIES SELL DELICACIES.  
HAYWARD, March 12.—A cooked "ou" sale is being held here today by the ladies of the Hayward Congregational church in the Civic Center hall.

## MOVIE STAR SUED FOR BIG ALIMONY

Theodore Roberts' Wife Seeks to Enforce N. Y. Decree in California.

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—Suit to obtain \$50 a week alimony for separate maintenance was yesterday commenced by Lucy C. Roberts against Theodore Roberts, a movie actor, now starring with a local company. The suit was filed by her attorney, Isaac Probst, and is in accordance with a decree rendered in the supreme court of New York three years ago.

A suit is now pending in New York, brought by Mrs. Roberts against a young actress now living in this city, for \$50,000 for alleged alienation of the affections of Roberts.

The complaint alleges that the couple were married in 1910 and that on January 22, 1912, plaintiff brought suit in the supreme court of New York for a separation and that a decree was entered granting the separation and awarding the plaintiff \$50 per week alimony during her life. She alleges that the defendant has only paid \$2000 since the decree was entered and for more than a year has paid nothing.

She also alleges that defendant has an agreement with his employers in Los Angeles whereby he receives his salary daily in advance and that therefore a judgment against him would be worthless.

She asks the local court to make the decree of the court of New York its own and to require the defendant to give bond for the performance of the decree.

Mrs. Roberts states that at one time her husband had a contract with the Orpheum people calling for a salary of \$1000 a week and that she attached this contract and also a yacht belonging to her husband. The New York court, she said, allowed her \$250 per week during her husband's Orpheum contract.

She declares that the decree named is the cause of the breaking up of her home and that she will press the suit for alienation in New York to its conclusion.

"There are many reasons why Alameda county should pay out money toward the support of the Exposition. It was never intended that the Exposition should be for the benefit of San Francisco alone, but for the benefit of the entire state. Alameda county, the Exposition, and it is up to the voters to help."—F. N. Heaney, Oakland merchant.

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California Orange Day, March 20.

## RENOUCE LAST CLAIM OF DINGEE

Deed Filed Relinquishes All Remaining Rights Near Redwood City.

REDWOOD CITY, March 12.—A quitclaim deed filed with the county recorder yesterday has brought to mind the remnants of the dream of William Dingee, at one time a financial king of the West. The deed renounced all claim to the last of the Dingee properties—302 acres in the first rise of the foothills west of this city, where Dingee had planned the erection of the most palatial residence west of Chicago. The property now belongs to the George H. Irving Company of San Francisco.

For years Dingee was a figure in the financial world. As a land baron and the cement king he reigned in millions, and he started New York by announcing that he contemplated the erection of a palace on Fifth ave. which would put to shame the palatial homes of the Astors and the Vanderbilts and Belmonts. Eastern millionaires were to be his guests in the hills of Redwood, where he began the construction of an artificial lake as a setting for a wonderful Western home, a "Tahoe in miniature," as he styled it. Then came disaster, and the Dingee plans went aglee.

Dingee Park became Redwood Highlands. The site of his famous private track is now covered with bungalows, and his wonderful garden is in the hands of others.

The Irving Company has acquired the new holdings to satisfy a demand for villa sites in the hills west of this city. It is planned to add a novel feature to the tract by making Duxes Lake into a community swimming pool.

John A. Britton and George P. Holberton of the Pacific Gas and Electric

BODENHEIM GIVES BOND.  
By Associated Press.  
ST. LOUIS, March 12.—Max Bodenheimer gave bond before a United States commissioner yesterday for his appearance here April 10. The complaint upon which he gave bond charges that he shipped to a Chicago engraving house by express 100 ounces of gun cotton in violation of the federal law. Dr. Bodenheimer said today that he did not consider the gun cotton, which he shipped dry, was dangerous when closely confined.

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# The Meddler



**T**HE winter just concluded has brought many lessons home to the heart of the social world. For a time society really faced a crisis. In the older cities "The season in town" usually means some show of extravagance, if only to prove to the rest of the world that society to exist must have its innings. But the experience of the winter proved that the "old order changeth." Society began to entertain in a small and informal way, and there was no bid for popularity. After a while society found that it could be amused just as satisfactorily at small affairs as at the big and formal functions. The result has been a very active and gay winter in a quiet, unostentatious way. Extravagance has died hard. Today the principles of democracy are society's most valuable asset.

Each season there comes up the question of social leadership, and this has been the first year that this question has not been discussed, and perhaps the problem is laid aside forever. It is quite true, as a well-known writer says, that "To find any sort of social leaders now-a-days a search for them must be made in the rank and file of workers for the common good. There are women, of course, who are born to lead, but the day of carrying social scepters has passed into history."

Perhaps the day of the social set will go there as well. For there is nothing so changeable as "a set." Families move away—men lose their wealth—there are many reasons for change, and the woman who is identified only with "a set" is apt to find herself very lonely as the seasons go by. This is specially true of the young girl. Her friends marry, and many of them perhaps make their homes in distant cities, and the group of intimate friends has a way of dissolving, till the set is no more. Girls worth while never now refer to "our set," and there are so many activities now for "the socially elect" that the popular young girl never wants to set up barriers as a means of entrenching her own position.

This year it is quite true that the war and the work of relief has had a great deal to do with bringing out the best in society.

The conditions in the East are well exemplified in the following description of the winter days of the season: "As a prominent hostess put it last week, there never was a time in the annals of society when people were thrown more closely together on a common humane plane, and it has been a season almost absolutely free from scandal. There has been little or no gossip, jealousies or heart-burnings which are ever linked with the business of society."

"As this hostess declared, society has been too busily engaged with the occupations and interests of these crucial days to pass its time in idleness, and the common instinct of society, from Washington square to the Nineties, has been, to consider the welfare of others before its own. Long a target of criticism, society in New York has proved its worth, as if it had been a chosen instrument, a sort of scourge, wherewith poverty and misery would be lashed from the slums of the city, at the same time stretching a hand across the sea to a world in distress. The humane instinct that prompts people to aid their fellow-creatures in dark and trying days is best promulgated by finance, and as society and finance are closely interwoven, the sufferings and hardships, both at home and abroad, would not have been so largely diminished if society had not opened its heart and purse."

For us the winter has been far more bright than it has been for our society sisters in the East. They were nearer the scene of action. The war affected society in a financial way as well. No one would have dared to have planned an entertainment on elaborate lines, or to have exhibited extravagance in any of its forms. Life for the smart set was full of serious phases, and the women of New York's smart set bravely led the way.

Our society sets did their share out here, but we had the great Exposition to absorb our attention. And the men engaged in the work needed moral support as well as financial, and the women interested had to bring all the courage of noble souls to give the moral support needed. Part of the past season's social campaign was to plan for the great Exposition, and surely the results show that the work was bravely done.

There has come to California a marvelous sense of community, in the acknowledgment of



MRS. CLINTON LA MONTAGNE, WHO IS WELL KNOWN IN SOCIETY ON BOTH SIDES OF THE BAY. —Mazzone photo.

the duties resting upon them, now that "all the world" is due to visit our coast. Minor differences are forgotten, and women all over the state are standing together, working in accord, in a way never before known on our coast.

## EXPOSITION REIGNS AS SOCIAL CAPITAL

The Exposition is the center of many activities of the smart set, because the women of the smart set have more time to devote to it, and they also have more experience in entertaining. It is quite wonderful the spirit of reciprocity which exists now in the circles of Oakland and San Francisco smart sets. Every effort is being made on our side of the bay by the woman's auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. Posey, to give every assistance which may make the California building the center of successful entertainment. Five thousand dollars have been sent over and more will be sent this month, and the good work will not stop until the Exposition closes its doors.

Alameda county will be very definitely in "the receiving line" most of the year.

This week Mrs. Posey was asked to send across the bay, hostesses who would be in the California building every day, so she assigned hostesses from different sections of the county. The days were not devoted to the sections, they were intended to represent all of the county, but the various chairmen had charge of them. The list began with Mrs. J. S. Emery, who had many prominent women to assist her; Mrs. Teller of Alameda proved a very popular and successful

hostess. Today Mrs. J. R. Scupham is presiding in the ballroom, and Saturday afternoon is one of the most important days of the week—there is always a large crowd from Burlingame, from Marin, and from the east bay cities, and the San Francisco smart set is well represented also.

The official hostess who is always present in the beautiful big ballroom of the California building is Mrs. Putnam Griswold, whose home was for many years in Oakland, before her late husband, Putnam Griswold, became a great opera singer.

Mrs. Griswold is a friend of Mrs. Hearst, and she has had great experience in entertaining abroad, as her husband was very popular in the court circles of the big cities of Europe.

Each day there will be hostesses in the ballroom, and they are requested to come prepared to take off their hats, so that the general public may know who they are, and may appeal to them if necessary. And this, of course, makes the dansant in the afternoon perfectly chaperoned, as it should be.

Every afternoon, the Exposition band comes to this beautiful ballroom and the dancing is free, with all welcome.

There has been a general demand for tea in the ballroom, the tables arranged in the fashion so popular in the ballroom. And in that case the tea would be only fifty cents, and out of town hostesses could reserve their tables. These afternoons at the Exposition are immensely popular, and they make the California building very gay indeed, and the center of much entertainment. For besides

these daily dansants, the various counties come straight to the center of things, and all sorts of favors are distributed to guests.

The California building becomes wonderfully colorful with a shower of lovely flowers, and all sorts of fruit products are given away with the generosity characteristic of California. Besides just the social side of life, there are many activities to interest the members of smart sets around the bay, and they carry a special appeal.

There is for instance, that splendid work that a coterie of well known girls across the bay are undertaking. They have furnished attractive rooms on the second floor of the Horticultural building where the girls working in the Exposition can rest and have luncheon and tea. A matron is already established there, and every day, some of the young girls will be present to assist in making the rooms attractive and to carry by their presence the comradeship that should exist between the girls who work, and the girls to whom fate has assigned a different place in life. Again we come across "democracy" in its finest form.

Among the girls are many who used to live on this side of the bay. The Misses Neila formerly lived in Piedmont, where they had a beautiful home. The Misses Helen and Carmelia Glenn lived for many years in the old family home on Castro street, and since their return from abroad with their mother, they have resided across the bay.

Other girls interested in the good work are Miss Anne Peters, who was the actress of the recent Market Opera,

Miss Louise Janin, Miss Fredericka Otis, Miss Helen Jones, Miss Marguerite Sullivan, Miss Ida Ross, the Misses Emily and Barbara Parrott, Miss Aileen Finnegan, Miss Evelyn Barrow, Miss Helen Hooper, and the Misses Katherine and Mary Donohoe.

This is one of the most important and helpful activities of the Exposition, and from this beginning one can foresee very important results. Along study lines too, one finds the members of the various smart sets unusually busy. There is for instance, the Monday Evening club composed of very prominent members across the bay. At the meetings there is usually an address by some head of a department, which is very instructive, and which leads to a better understanding of the architectural and art phases of the Exposition.

linoat at all; it means a tight satin under-garment to below the knees, a well fitting stocking, and boots or shoes sans reproche to show a pretty ankle."

That is just what one realizes at the great Exposition—"The Youth of Things." The youth of a state that refuses ever to grow old, and the youth that expresses itself in the clothes many of the fascinating women wear.

At the luncheon of the stockholders of the women's board on Wednesday, among the handsome gowns were those worn by Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. A. C. Posey, Mrs. Edson F. Adams, Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Mrs. William Hinchley Taylor, Mrs. Clarence Wetmore, Mrs. William A. Magee, Mrs. Louis Montague, Mrs. George McNear, Mrs. Hiram Johnson, Jr.,

them with flower designs, and ruffles of silver lace is finished with a girdle of flowered silk in yellow, rose, and blue Dresden effects. Mrs. P. E. Bowles wears reception gowns of pastel tones, and she is very partial to blue. Among those wearing yellow gowns with fine effect are Mrs. William Thornton White, Mrs. George Hammer, and Mrs. Wickham Havena. Blue is the prevailing color in the latest gowns from the East, and most of them are very short indeed, since so many people dance now-a-days, and afternoon affairs as well as evening receptions, are often turned into dansants arranged in impromptu fashion.

## PARASOL CLUB MAY BE NEW MOVEMENT

Another bright matron, one who is always beautifully gowned, sur-



MRS. GRANVILLE ABBOTT, ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE PIEDMONT SET.—Ross-Johnson photo.

The afternoons of the auxiliary were most successful over here, for they too, were in a measure, along study lines. Addresses were made by experts, sent by the Exposition board, and so popular were the afternoons, that at the last meeting, it was impossible to seat the large number of people who assembled at the Oakland. Mrs. Posey has been importuned to continue these afternoons, so instructive and interesting did they prove to large audiences.

## YOUTH IS THE FASHION

One of the interesting phases of the Exposition is the attractive gowning of the women whom one sees there. At last the styles have been definitely set, and in one word, the new styles spell Youth. From Paris comes the last analysis:

"There is youth in the length, or rather the shortness, of the skirts, for whether for day or evening wear six inches from the ground or more, just to the tops of the boots, will be the length of the skirts, and they will be wide at the hem, with a width that has scarcely been known since the days of 1830. No crinoline, but wonderful cutting, the secret, with a few weights perhaps and in some cases a foundation. And the fullness

Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Mrs. Louis Ghirardelli, Mrs. Harold Spens Black, Miss Alice Grimes.

A bright young matron at a bridge game this week suggested that California women at the Exposition ought to be gowned in keeping with the color scheme. They ought to prefer pastel shades, and it ought to be the rule this summer not to wear too somber gowns. "The French women," she said, "if the Exposition were in Paris would all carry parasols in stunning colors, striking a note of colorful cheer all over the Exposition grounds." But the "colorful" note is struck just the same, for the gowns are in many cases very lovely. Some wonderful trousseau gowns are being worn by the attractive bride, Mrs. Earl Carleton Miller, who comes from New England, but who has many friends on this side of the bay.

The note of color in many of the costumes of the most prominent women at the Exposition is very marked. Mrs. Julian Thorne is always beautifully gowned, and one of her reception costumes was planned after the color scheme of a French soldier's uniform. The skirt was adorned in little bouquets of red and blue, and a wide sash of red and blue added to the costume.

Mrs. William Hearst is wearing gowns which represent the "latest" from New York, and one of

gested as a new and important movement, "The Parasol Club." She quotes from "The Woman Who Knows," though she is indeed a type of that very woman herself:

"The Woman Who Knows has already visualized the summer playground; she sees the grandstands a blaze of color, vying with the tops of the coaches, and great splashes of brilliant color dotted over the greenward. The 1915 parasol would fill with joy the heart of the most aspiring colorist. Baked has never used color with a more generous brush than the makers of this summer's parasols. A single parasol will reflect all the tints of the rainbow and yet so cleverly are they blended that there is nothing garish, nothing to offend the most fastidious of women."

The Woman Who Knows loves the Japanese parasol, and she declares she intends to carry one with her white linen suits this year. She can have it made of green silk, and on the inside have embroidered birds of many colors. And parasols come now in battleship gray, and soldier blue—but nobody would want them, if there were a duty to be done.

And every woman's bounden duty is to add to the color scheme of the Exposition. The bright young matron added: "We won't let little Miss from New York, and one of











# BERKELEY COSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN UNIVERSITY TOWN

# ALAMEDA SOCIAL & PERSONAL HAPPENINGS OF DAY in the VALLEY CITY

## ROUSING MEETING HELD FOR BONDS

Alameda Gathering in Council Chambers Adds 150 Active Campaigners for Cause.

ALAMEDA, March 12.—One hundred and fifty campaigners for the Exposition fair bonds were added to the rapidly growing roll at the mass meeting held last evening in the council chambers of the city hall. It was one of the most enthusiastic gatherings for the bonds that has been held since the Exposition was first proposed. The meeting was held in the council chambers of the city hall, which were crowded with people of all ages and both sexes. The speaker of the evening was J. S. McDowell, chairman of the exposition bonds committee. He introduced the speakers and made a statement of the progress of the campaign. He said that the committee had been very successful in securing the support of the business and professional men of the city, and that they were now turning their attention to the working men and women. He said that the committee had been very successful in securing the support of the business and professional men of the city, and that they were now turning their attention to the working men and women. He said that the committee had been very successful in securing the support of the business and professional men of the city, and that they were now turning their attention to the working men and women.

George W. Reed, of Oakland, reviewed the patriotic deed of the Exposition fair bonds, and the speaker of the evening, J. S. McDowell, chairman of the exposition bonds committee, introduced the speakers and made a statement of the progress of the campaign. He said that the committee had been very successful in securing the support of the business and professional men of the city, and that they were now turning their attention to the working men and women. He said that the committee had been very successful in securing the support of the business and professional men of the city, and that they were now turning their attention to the working men and women.

Richmond Club Reception. Richmond, March 12.—Final details for the opening of the new club house of the Richmond Club will be a public reception to all of the people of Richmond on Tuesday afternoon. The reception will be held at the new club house, which is located on the corner of Broadway and Broadway. The reception will be held at the new club house, which is located on the corner of Broadway and Broadway.

Deputy Sheriffs to Quit. Richmond, March 12.—It is going to be a hard day for the deputy sheriffs of Contra Costa county. A decision has been reached by the county board of supervisors to discontinue the office of deputy sheriffs. The decision was reached after a long and heated discussion. The decision was reached after a long and heated discussion.

Protests Reclamation. Richmond, March 12.—Attorney Lee W. Windom returned last night from Sacramento where he represented the local property owners protesting against the creation of three reclamation districts in that county. Thursday afternoon Windom presented his arguments before Governor Johnson while in the evening he addressed the joint committee of the house and senate on the reclamation bill. The committee is now considering the bill, and it is expected that it will be passed soon.

Safe Crackers Foiled. Richmond, March 12.—Amateur cracksmen attempted to loot the safe in the office of the Standard Oil Company at Chabot Avenue and Nineteenth Street last evening. The safe was found to be empty, and the cracksmen were arrested. The cracksmen were found with tools and were charged with burglary. They are now in custody of the police.

Plan Swedish Service. Richmond, March 12.—Under the auspices of the Swedish church of Berkeley a service will be held at the Wesley church at Ninth Street and Nineteenth Avenue Sunday afternoon, March 21, at 3 p. m. All Scandinavians are cordially invited.

Oil Employee Burned. Richmond, March 12.—J. W. Freeman, an employee of the Standard Oil Company, was seriously burned Thursday night by a fire in the oil storage tank at the company's refinery. Freeman was working in the tank when the fire broke out. He was badly burned and is now in the hospital. The fire was caused by a leak in the tank.

Too Weak to Fight. The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of over-work, lack of exercise, improper eating and living, demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to health. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy for Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful! Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid, indigestion, the kidneys, gravel or stone, the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befell the overzealous American. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you—25c, 50c and \$1.00 per box. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. Guaranteed and sold by The Owl Drug Co.—Advertisement.

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## FAIR MAIDS LOYAL BOOSTERS HELP HAYWARD IN CAMPAIGN



MISS DEANE SMITH (LEFT) AND MISS LORNA B. ROBINSON, ACTIVE IN CHERRY CAMPAIGN.

## Cherry Blossom Used to Symbolize Chief Asset

HAYWARD, March 12.—Cherry blossoms and charming maidens are attractions of the Exposition campaign. In its publicity campaign, inaugurated today, consider two of its chief assets. Members of the younger set here are enthusiastic helpers of the business men in boosting their home town and are organizing for this purpose. Among prominent society young women who are active in this movement are Miss Leona Smith and Miss Lorna B. Robinson. Miss Smith is a daughter of Oakland-Berkeley firm, a head in the Chamber of Commerce campaign. Miss Robinson is a daughter of H. R. Robinson, president of the Alameda County Farm Bureau. The initial campaign meeting was held this afternoon when plans were made for giving this community widespread publicity. The plan was to have a display of fruit blossoms carried by the local contingent in the Exposition opening day parade in San Francisco and the blossoms of the cherry, apricot and peach trees which are now in full bloom will be used extensively to call attention to the beauties and riches of the principal fruit growing centers of the state.

## "LITTLE MR. NOBODY" IS FOUND ON DOORSTEP

BERKELEY, March 12.—Left on the doorstep of the Baby Hospital, near the Oakland-Berkeley line, a baby, boy, dimpled and attractive, has found a home to his liking. The tiny bundle, to which his parents had been looking for a home, was found on the doorstep of the Baby Hospital. The baby was found on the doorstep of the Baby Hospital. The baby was found on the doorstep of the Baby Hospital.

## TREBLE CLEF IS HOST AT MINSTREL SHOW

BERKELEY, March 12.—A successful minstrel entertainment was last night presented at the local minstrel club of the Oakland-Berkeley line. The show was a success and the audience was large. The show was a success and the audience was large.

## PLAYGROUND IMPROVED

FRITTVALE, March 12.—The installation of several hundred dollars' worth of new playground equipment at the Alameda school was reported by Principal T. Allison at the regular business meeting of the Alameda Mothers' club this week.

## ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

HAYWARD, March 12.—James Chapman, chairman of the Hayward school board of trustees, has announced himself a candidate for reelection. The election of grammar school officials will be held April 1.

## MEETS DEATH IN MOTORCYCLE RIDE

Frank Perry of Alameda Killed in Berkeley Accident.

BERKELEY, March 12.—Down a steep grade at a speed approaching ninety miles an hour, Frank Perry, 1425 Everett street, Alameda, last evening, on an uncontrollable motorcycle, crashed into a car and was killed. The accident occurred on the corner of Broadway and Broadway. The motorcycle was traveling at a high speed and lost control. The driver, Frank Perry, was killed instantly. The accident occurred on the corner of Broadway and Broadway.

## AUSTRALIANS LUNCH WITH FAIR DIRECTORS

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Hands across the seas were extended at the entertainment given the Australian boys at the Alameda school. The boys were given a lunch by the fair directors. The lunch was a success and the boys enjoyed it very much. The lunch was a success and the boys enjoyed it very much.

## MAJOR ASA F. FISK PASSES AWAY IN EAST

BERKELEY, March 12.—Major Asa Francis Fisk, well known in Berkeley and Alameda, and a social leader at the Alameda school, died in the East. He was a member of the Alameda school and was a social leader. He was a member of the Alameda school and was a social leader.

## COMPOSER TO PLAY AT HALF-HOUR CONCERT

BERKELEY, March 12.—The musical and dramatic events of the Exposition of California announce that the University of California will give a half-hour concert. The concert will be given by the University of California. The concert will be given by the University of California.

## BRING JOY TO INMATES OF CHILDREN'S HOME

BERKELEY, March 12.—The joys that attend the coming of ginger bread men and street car rides for a time, are being brought to the children of the Alameda children's home. The children's home is a place where children are cared for. The children's home is a place where children are cared for.

## ALAMEDA BALL TEAM NOW ASSURED FACT

ALAMEDA, March 12.—That an Alameda ball club will be formed this year was definitely decided at a meeting last night. The club will be formed this year. The club will be formed this year.

## PIONEER MOTHER, AGED 88, TO CAST FIRST VOTE

BERKELEY, March 12.—Mrs. Jane Scott Irving, 88 years old and a resident of California for nearly a half century, will cast her first vote at the coming election. She is a pioneer mother and is a resident of California. She is a pioneer mother and is a resident of California.

## ALAMEDA WOMAN DIES

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Victoria A. J. Hard of this city died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Stuart, last evening. She was 88 years old. She was 88 years old.

## SERVICES FOR PIONEER

BERKELEY, March 12.—Funeral services for Mrs. Katherine McLean, 55 years a resident of California, will be held this morning at St. Augustine's church. The funeral will be held this morning. The funeral will be held this morning.

## TOWN FINANCES TO BE SUBJECT

Hayward Taxpayers to Ask Trustees About Public Funds.

HAYWARD, March 12.—An investigation into the state of the municipal finances may be demanded by taxpayers here, who it is said want to know where the corporation money goes. In all probability there will be a lively discussion of town finances at the next meeting of the board of trustees. The board of trustees will meet next week. The board of trustees will meet next week.

## MERGED CLUB HONORS MAYORS OF EIGHT CITIES

Eight mayors of nearby cities were today remembered by the Chamber of Commerce Council of Berkeley. The mayors were remembered by the Chamber of Commerce Council of Berkeley. The mayors were remembered by the Chamber of Commerce Council of Berkeley.

## SURPRISE MRS. J. B. FOSTER

BERKELEY, March 12.—An expression of good will was shown Mrs. J. B. Foster, Berkeley, and her family last evening by a number of the members of the Royal Neighbors when music and games with refreshments passed a delightful few hours. The members of the Royal Neighbors were very kind to Mrs. Foster. The members of the Royal Neighbors were very kind to Mrs. Foster.

## CURATE CHANGES STATIONS

HAYWARD, March 12.—The Rev. Eugene H. Foster, curate of the Holy Trinity church here, has been appointed assistant pastor of the Holy Trinity church, San Francisco. The Rev. Eugene H. Foster is a member of the Holy Trinity church. The Rev. Eugene H. Foster is a member of the Holy Trinity church.

## WOODCRAFT WILL DANCE

RICHMOND, March 12.—Patrick's dancing party is to be given this evening by the Women of Woodcraft at the Woodmen hall, Macdonald avenue and Seventh street. The party will be given by the Women of Woodcraft. The party will be given by the Women of Woodcraft.

## PASTOR RECOVERING

RICHMOND, March 12.—The Rev. C. A. Wilson, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, is able to be out again after a unique operation in which he took no opiates and was performed only last Tuesday morning. The pastor is recovering from his operation. The pastor is recovering from his operation.

## WOODMEN RECEIVE APPLICATIONS

RICHMOND, March 12.—Applications for membership in the Woodmen of the World are already bearing fruit. The Woodmen of the World are a fraternal organization. The Woodmen of the World are a fraternal organization.

## FUNERAL OF PIONEER

RICHMOND, March 12.—The funeral of the late Christopher Williams, a pioneer of Sonoma county, who died at his home in San Jose at the age of 86 years, will be held in this city next Monday under the auspices of Calvary Baptist church. The funeral will be held next Monday. The funeral will be held next Monday.

## CHARGES NON-SUPPORT

RICHMOND, March 12.—According to Mrs. Mary E. Rogers, residing at Third street, who was charged with non-support of her husband, Thomas E. Rogers, who was charged with non-support of his wife, the charges were dropped. The charges were dropped. The charges were dropped.

## SURPRISE MISS TRUITT

RICHMOND, March 12.—Miss Truitt was surprised last evening at her home, 1319 Barrett avenue, last evening by a number of her young friends and school mates. The surprise party was a success. The surprise party was a success.

## ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Dainty little name cards, with Alameda across the corner, were scattered about the city. The name cards were scattered about the city. The name cards were scattered about the city.

## WOMEN WOULD HAVE CENSOR OF SCHOOL BOOKS

BERKELEY, March 12.—With an appeal for the safe-guarding of children through knowledge of the mysteries of life and a protest against modern dancing and against certain forms of "literature" which, it is declared, are being distributed in the schools of Alameda county, the Fifth Mothers' Conference of the Alameda County Women's Christian Temperance Union has adjourned its session at College Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. The conference was held last evening. The conference was held last evening.

## ABANDONED WIFE ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

BERKELEY, March 12.—Mrs. R. F. Krouse, despondent over recent marital troubles, last evening sought to end her life by drinking a solution of "lead-water." The police this morning rescued her. The police this morning rescued her.

## STUDENTS STAGE WILD WEST PERFORMANCE

BERKELEY, March 12.—A wild West show was presented Thursday evening by the students of the California School of Arts and Crafts. The show was a success and the audience was large. The show was a success and the audience was large.

## CLAREMONT IMPROVERS PLEDGE BOND SUPPORT

BERKELEY, March 12.—Unanimous endorsement to the exposition bonds was given last evening in a largely attended meeting of the Claremont Improvement club, of which Stephen J. Kieffer is president. The club members pledged their support of the bonds. The club members pledged their support of the bonds.

## TWO TIMELY SERMONS

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Sunday night Dr. Frank E. Baker of the First Methodist church will deliver a sermon on "The Unavoidability of the Church and Neglect of the Home." The sermon will be a timely one. The sermon will be a timely one.

## SAN LORENZO WOODMEN WILL STAGE COMEDY

SAN LORENZO, March 12.—San Lorenzo Wood Choppers always have something on hand. Now they are arranging to stage a comedy. The comedy will be staged by the Wood Choppers. The comedy will be staged by the Wood Choppers.

## COST OF LIVING HIGH; BRIDEGROOM EMBEZZLES

BERKELEY, March 12.—E. S. Parker, a young bridegroom, this morning faced a charge of embezzlement. The charge was made by the bride's father. The charge was made by the bride's father.

## REFUSES ANESTHETIC

SAN LEANDRO, March 12.—Refusing an anesthetic, William Yeager of this city, who was wounded in a fire in San Francisco, is now convalescing at his home here. Yeager was wounded in a fire in San Francisco. Yeager was wounded in a fire in San Francisco.

## FIREMEN TO DANCE

SAN LEANDRO, March 12.—The San Leandro firemen are to have new uniforms and to raise the necessary funds for this purpose it was decided at a meeting of the firemen that a dance be given. The dance will be given by the firemen. The dance will be given by the firemen.

## SURPRISE FOR STUDENT

FRITTVALE, March 12.—A number of friends tendered a surprise party this week to Sam Genter, a former student of the Frittvale school. The party was a success. The party was a success.

## MEDICAL WRITER RECOGNIZED

HAYWARD, March 12.—Mrs. Anne W. Williams, M. D., of this city, articles from her pen have been purchased by the Medical Journal. Mrs. Williams is a medical writer. Mrs. Williams is a medical writer.

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She Promises Her Brother Not to Repeat Effort, However.

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## TWO TIMELY SERMONS

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Sunday night Dr. Frank E. Baker of the First Methodist church will deliver a sermon on "The Unavoidability of the Church and Neglect of the Home." The sermon will be a timely one. The sermon will be a timely one.

## SAN LORENZO WOODMEN WILL STAGE COMEDY

SAN LORENZO, March 12.—San Lorenzo Wood Choppers always have something on hand. Now they are arranging to stage a comedy. The comedy will be staged by the Wood Choppers. The comedy will be staged by the Wood Choppers.

## COST OF LIVING HIGH; BRIDEGROOM EMBEZZLES

BERKELEY, March 12.—E. S. Parker, a young bridegroom, this morning faced a charge of embezzlement. The charge was made by the bride's father. The charge was made by the bride's father.

## REFUSES ANESTHETIC

SAN LEANDRO, March 12.—Refusing an anesthetic, William Yeager of this city, who was wounded in a fire in San Francisco, is now convalescing at his home here. Yeager was wounded in a fire in San Francisco. Yeager was wounded in a fire in San Francisco.

## FIREMEN TO DANCE

SAN LEANDRO, March 12.—The San Leandro firemen are to have new uniforms and to raise the necessary funds for this purpose it was decided at a meeting of the firemen that a dance be given. The dance will be given by the firemen. The dance will be given by the firemen.

## SURPRISE FOR STUDENT

FRITTVALE, March 12.—A number of friends tendered a surprise party this week to Sam Genter, a former student of the Frittvale school. The party was a success. The party was a success.

## MEDICAL WRITER RECOGNIZED

HAYWARD, March 12.—Mrs. Anne W. Williams, M. D., of this city, articles from her pen have been purchased by the Medical Journal. Mrs. Williams is a medical writer. Mrs. Williams is a medical writer.

## EAGLES TO DANCE

ALAMEDA, March 12.—Another dance will be given by the Alameda Eagles. The dance will be given by the Alameda Eagles. The dance will be given by the Alameda Eagles.

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### CHURCH NOTICES

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,**  
Broadway and 25th st.  
Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, D.D., Pastor.  
Residence, Key Route Inn.  
11 A. M.  
Pastor's Service:  
"A MODEL YOUNG MAN."  
7:30 P. M.  
Pastor's Subject:  
"OAKLAND AND THE HOLY CITY."  
Choir render Gault's "Holy City." Clarence Eddy at organ morning and evening.  
Special organ numbers after evening service.

**CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
Foothill Boulevard and 24th ave.  
11 A. M.—"Unseen Power."  
7:30 P. M.—"Divine-human Salvation."  
Sunday-school at 9:45 A. M.; Christian Endeavor at 8:30 P. M.; prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 P. M.

**UNITARIAN**  
**RODIN'S—THE THINKER**

The Torchbearers of Civilization. Subject of sermon at First Unitarian Church, corner 14th and Castro sts., 11 A. M., Wm. Day Simonds, minister. Illustrated lecture at 7:45, subject: "A WORLD REBORN—THE WONDER OF THE CRUSADES." General public cordially invited to all services.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**  
**FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN, 13th and Castro sts.,** James F. Ross, D. D., Pastor; phone Oak. 8615—Topic 11 A. M., "Our Daily Bread"; 7:30 P. M., "The Plan"; a cordial welcome for all.

### CHURCH NOTICES

**CONGREGATIONAL**  
**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,**  
Twelfth and Clay sts.  
Rev. F. J. Van Horn D.D., Pastor.  
9:45 A. M.—Church School. Parents and friends, as well as scholars, are invited to be present at this service.  
11 A. M.—Worship. Sermon by the pastor, subject: "Our Father."  
7:30 P. M.—After-Church Class.  
8:15 P. M.—Young People's Meetings.  
7:30 P. M.—Worship. Sermon by the pastor, subject: "At Any Cost."

**PLYMOUTH CHURCH**  
3791 Piedmont avenue.  
Albert W. Palmer, Minister.  
11 A. M.—"The Master's Scale of Values."  
7:45 P. M.—"Listen to the Spirit"—first of three sermons on "Personal Efficiency."  
March 14—"Listen to the Spirit."  
March 15—"The Spirit of the Times."  
March 16—"Look Twenty Years Ahead."

**Pilgrim Congregational Church**  
8th ave. and E. 18th st.  
Ernest E. Yount, Pastor.  
Morning subject: "How to Glory in Tribulation."  
Evening, 7:30 P. M., the great anti-war novel by Baroness Bertha von Suttner will be presented, the book that exposes war as "Uncle Tom's Cabin Exposed Slavery."

**FOURTH CONGREGATIONAL**  
Corner 26th and Grove sts.  
Sermons by Roy H. Campbell.  
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land for one hundred years and more." Congressman Kahn spoke in favor of a greater navy and state of preparedness for any conflict that might come up in the future. He said in part:

"No nation is the sole arbitrator of its own destiny," said Congressman Kahn. "No nation knows what will confront it tomorrow, and the European situation has shown that clearly. The peace lingo element has often been responsible for bringing about war, in this and in other countries. The lingo of peace often is more destructive in causing war than the lingo of war. I personally, in common with every man here present, hope and pray that the United States never will become involved in an aggressive war. We were again come to it will be because the United States, standing wealthy and alone, is attacked first by nations feeling guilty toward it."

Those present were: Captain Philip Andrews, U. S. N. F. B. Anderson, Bank of California. Arthur Arlett, representing Governor Johnson. Captain Frank M. Bennett, U. S. N. W. H. Crocker, Associated Press. Arthur W. Copp, 1500 Broadway, San Francisco.

During the course of the banquet telephone calls were interchanged between those at the festive board and government officials in Washington as well as with former President Roosevelt. Congratulations were extended from the East to the West on the occasion which marked the felicitous feelings between the Japanese government and that of the United States.

Secretary of the Navy Joseph Daniels sent a telegram of greetings and Admiral George Dewey conveyed his interests in the gathering in a similar message, as did Viscount Chinda, Japanese Ambassador at Washington.

His address former Vice-President Fairbanks said:

"The confederation in Europe, will, in my opinion, bring people to a realization of the futility of the wild footrace for over-heavy armament. The United States and Great Britain came to the agreement that on the Great Lakes each would maintain but four vessels of war, each vessel not to carry more than one eighteen-pounder gun. They lived up to this agreement and there has been no war between the United States and Eng-

### CHURCH NOTICES

**EPISCOPAL**  
**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH,** cor. Grand ave. and Montecito; the Rev. Alexander Allen, rector—8 A. M., Holy Communion at the Chapel of the Good Samaritan; 9:45 A. M., Sunday-school; 11 A. M., Litany, Holy Communion and sermon; "The Lesson About Health"; 3:30, confirmation class; 4:30, vespers with sermon.

**ST. PETER'S CHURCH**  
LAWTON AVE. AND BROADWAY.  
Rev. Edgar F. Gee, Rector.  
Holy Eucharist and sermon, 9 A. M. Church school, 10:15 A. M.  
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11:15 A. M. Evensong and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

**St. John's Church**  
8th st., cor. Grove; cor. line, W. 8th and Grove; rector, Rev. Irving Spencer—Services 7:45, 10:10, 11 A. M., "The Valley of Decision"; 7:45 P. M., confirmation, sermon by Right Rev. Wm. P. Nichols, D.D., Bishop of California; daily, 7:30 A. M., church school 9:50 A. M.

**CHURCH OF THE ADVENT (Episcopal),** cor. 12th and E. 16th st.; Rev. W. H. Wheeler, rector—Holy Communion, 8 A. M.; Sunday-school, 9:45 A. M.; morning service, 11 A. M.; evening service, 7:30 P. M.

**DIVINE SCIENCE**  
The First Divine Science Church will hold services at Starr King Hall, 14th and Castro, Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.

Charles S. Wheeler, Lieutenant-Commander Clark H. Woodward, Commodore Lopez, Norman E. Mack, Commodore Reeves, U. S. N., Lieutenant Commander Houston, U. S. N., Colonel Swift (representing General Murray), William Helm, John R. Yates.

**MASONIC FUNERAL HELD FOR LATE HONOLULU**

Funeral services for the late John Thomas Campbell, prominent Honolulu Mason, who committed suicide Sunday, were held yesterday at the Oakland Masonic Temple, the ceremonies being under the direction of Sequoia Lodge, No. 349.

The deceased lived in Oakland for some time and was, it is declared, dependent over the death of his wife, which occurred over a year ago. Since that time he lived at his home, 658 Sixty-second street, alone.

The deceased was a member of Hawaiian Lodge, No. 21, F. and A. M., Honolulu Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar, Hawaiian Consistory of Scottish Rite Masons and Aloha Temple of the Mystic Shrine. He was a commission broker, acting as agent for his brother, A. J. Campbell of Honolulu. His near relatives reside in the Hawaiian Islands.

**NEW ENGLANDERS MEET.**  
The California New England Association held its regular meeting on Thursday evening, which was followed by a musical program given under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Frank. The selections rendered were as follows: "My Old Kentucky Home," Mrs. Manuel Mrs. Frank and Miss Thera Hamilton, tenor solo; "Mother Machree," Earnest McDonald; alto solo, with violin obligato; "Remembrance," Miss Thera Hamilton and Ned Johnson; song and dance, "Ship Ahoy," Miss Jeanette Manuel; duet, "Pride of the Ball," Miss Amy and Miss Bernice Peoples; soprano solo, with violin obligato, "Happy Days," Mrs. Manuel and Ned Johnson; baritone solo, "True Till Death," Dr. H. E. Frank.

### CHURCH NOTICES

**METHODIST**  
**FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,**  
Broadway, at Twenty-fourth street.  
Rev. Geo. W. White, D.D., Pastor.  
Will preach at both services.  
11 A. M.  
"THE FEARED HANDS."  
7:30 P. M.  
"WHEN A MAN DISCOVERS HIMSELF." (Second sermon in the "Explorations in the Soul-country.")  
Sunday-school, 9:45; W. C. Weld, Supt. Young People's Meetings at 8:15.

**LUTHERAN**  
**FIRST LUTHERAN,**  
Grove and 16th sts.  
W. E. Crocker, D.D., Pastor.  
11 A. M., "The Price of Negligence."  
7:30 P. M., "A Desert Way."  
9:45 A. M., Sunday-school; 8:20 P. M., C. E.

**THEOSOPHICAL**  
**THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, Maple Hall Bldg.,** Sunday, March 14, at 7:45 P. M., lecture by Mrs. Amelia K. Weltman, subject, "Pictures of Memory"; all welcome.

**UNIVERSAL TRUTH**  
SERVICES of Universal Truth Association are held at Rock Ridge Vernon Hall, 11 A. M., speaker, Ida Mansfield-Wilson, subject, "WHILE MAGIC," evening service at 8 P. M.; 554 Lawton st.

**ELABORATE PROGRAM IS PLANNED BY PARISH**  
Arrangements are rapidly nearing completion for the entertainment and dance to be given under the auspices of St. Leo's Parish in the boy's gymnasium of St. Mary's College, St. Patrick's night, Wednesday.

Ret. Owen Lacey, pastor of the church, is devoting personal attention to the details and everything possible is being done to assure an enjoyable evening.

The general committee of arrangements consists of Dr. C. A. DuFay, Dr. John F. Slavich, Leo J. McCarthy, Daniel J. Mullins, Joseph P. Lacey, W. J. Clark, Hugh J. Quinn, John Francis Smith, J. J. McKeehan, Alex. Waters, J. H. Safely, J. McValliers, H. J. Roessner, Will J. Cahill, C. A. Sullivan, Thomas McGovern and A. Dana.

Patrons: Mrs. H. W. Roessner, Mrs. Leo J. McCarthy, Miss May Woodling, Mrs. John Heafey, Miss Catherine Ryan, Miss Anna Kelley, Miss M. Blanche Steele, Mrs. J. McElroy, Mrs. F. W. Willis, Mrs. L. Hillborn, Mrs. Oscar Sutor, Mrs. E. A. Dray, Mrs. J. S. Smith, Mrs. W. J. Brady, Mrs. Wilhelm, Mrs. Samuel Thornton, Mrs. J. B. Donnelly, Mrs. H. Ramsey, Mrs. J. McManus, Mrs. W. Hogan, Mrs. John Slavich, Mrs. A. T. Ellis, Mrs. M. Burkhelm, Mrs. L. Henes, Mrs. C. A. DuFay, Mrs. W. J. Smyth, Mrs. H. J. White, Mrs. V. J. Clark, Mrs. W. J. Mackin, Mrs. M. Collins, Mrs. Joseph O'Donnell, Mrs. R. Goodspeed, Mrs. Thomas Ryan, Mrs. P. Pressan, Mrs. C. A. Sullivan, Mrs. A. Spencer, Mrs. W. B. Strubach, Mrs. T. Brooke, Mrs. G. A. McInnigald, Mrs. J. McNamara.

**MARE ISLAND NOTES**  
MARE ISLAND, March 12.—The new M. I. Island built tanker Karawana and the revenue cutter Bear will not leave dock No. 2 at the navy yard until the 24th.

The navy tug Arctapha, which took the place of the Vigilant while that vessel was under repair, broke down Thursday and was towed to Mare Island Friday by the Unadilla.

The Mare Island radio working party in charge of Wireless Expert George E. Hanson has arrived at Point Loma, San Diego, where they will remain for the next two weeks.

Sergeant Major Timothy McCarthy, who has been on duty at the Mare Island marine barracks for the past twelve years, is to retire from active service on the 24th of this month.

Surgeon H. C. Cull, U. S. N., has been detached from the cruiser West Virginia and ordered to the Maryland.

Commander W. C. Cole, U. S. N., has been detached from the St. Helena of the Asiatic Squadron and will come to this coast next month.

Surgeon J. D. Marchester, U. S. N., has been detached from the cruiser Maryland and ordered home.

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Naval Constructor James Reed Jr., U. S. N., was a business visitor in San Francisco today.

### CHURCH NOTICES

**BAPTIST**  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH,**  
Telegraph ave., at Jones st.  
William Keeney, Minister.  
11 A. M., the Lord's Supper and reception of new members.  
Popular 60-Minute Service, 7:30 to 8:30. Special Theme, "MOONSHINE!"  
Evening subject: "A CHURCH FOR THE 20TH CENTURY!"  
By Mr. Towner  
All seats free and everybody welcome.

**CHRISTIAN**  
**FRUITVALE CHRISTIAN CHURCH,**  
Fruitvale ave. and E. 24th st.; R. L. McHatten, pastor—Services 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.; Sunday-school, 9:45 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 8:20 P. M.; prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.

**SPIRITUAL TRUTH**  
**SPIRITUAL TRUTH CHURCH, 529 12th—**Sunday, 11 A. M. sermon, "The Power of Mind"; song service and messages.

"PILIPIT Theology vs. Bible Teaching"; free lecture at Loring Hall, 11th and Clay, Sunday, March 14, 7:30 P. M.

**CHURCH GHOSTS ARE MERELY RATS**  
Pastor Exorcises "Spirit" After Congregation Leaves Marysville Fane.

Marysville, March 12.—"Ghosts in the church, could it be possible?" asked women members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church of this city, one of the largest and finest church edifices here. They kept their fear a secret, but remained away from evening service until the steadily dwindling attendance excited the suspicion of the pastor.

It was not until one of the ladies of the congregation confessed that she remained away because she was afraid of ghosts that the first clue was obtained. Acting on this bit of information, the pastor set out to find the apparitions or the origin of the peculiar noises which disturbed the somber services, and was causing him the loss of many auditors at the evening meetings.

In the stillness of the night a whispering sound could be faintly heard apparently emanating from under the church. Investigating further, it was found that the noise was in evidence almost every night at meeting time.

After nearly every effort had been exhausted in attempting to locate the origin of the weird sounds, it was decided to open up the basement, which had been unused for years and was scarcely boarded up. To the surprise of the probers, water from two to three feet deep was found, and there lay the origin of the noises, for it is believed that rats, leaping from the rafters under the church, were continually falling into the water and being forced to swim to safety.

The water is now being pumped out of the basement by the fire department, and is believed to have been caused by seepage.

Chicago, March 12.—Salmon shipments from Sacramento river boats west of Chico have begun. During the last 17 days it is estimated that 20 tons of salmon have been shipped. Most of these shipments go to Sacramento and San Francisco, while about three tons have been sent to Boston. The season just opening promises to be the biggest for several years. Notwithstanding the height of the river the fish are coming up in large schools.

Chicago, March 12.—A movement was started here yesterday looking toward the annexation of a large territory of suburbs, which are in part a part of the city, but not included in the corporation. It was planned to take in Chicago, Evanston, Northbrook, Oakdale, Roseville, Flossmoor and Berwyn additions, which, if joined to the city proper, would give a population of more than 15,000.

Chicago, March 12.—The finding of ten bodies of strychnia beneath the chassis

### CHURCH NOTICES

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
**CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—**First Church, 15th and Franklin sts.; Second Church, 24th and Elm sts., one block east of Telegraph ave.; Third Church, Masonic Temple, E. 14th st. and 34th ave.; Fourth Church, Masonic Temple, 15th and 5th ave.; Fifth Church, I.O.O.F. Hall, E. 14th st. and 54th ave.; Sixth Church, 250 1st, two blocks east of Broadway; Seventh Church, Blue Auditorium, 1440 Harrison st. Subject tomorrow, "Substance." Sunday services at 11 A. M.; Sunday schools at 9:30 A. M. (Seventh Church at 9:45 A. M.) Wednesday testimonial meetings at 8 P. M.; Sunday evening services at First and Second churches at 8 o'clock.

Reading rooms open daily, excepting Sundays and holidays—Perry Bldg., 414 12th st., from 9:20 A. M. to 9 P. M., excepting Wednesdays, when they close at 7 P. M.; open Sundays from 1 to 5 P. M.; First Church edifice, 12 to 4 P. M., excepting holidays; Sixth Church edifice, 2 to 4:30 P. M.

**NAZARENE**  
**Signs of the Times**  
**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE,** COR. OF NINTH AND WEST STS.  
Sunday evening, 7:30.  
By Pastor J. W. Goodwin.  
SHEPHERD'S MORNING A PRAYER  
PENTECOSTAL PRAYER MEETING.  
All invited.

factory at Gridler yesterday has given that town much concern, and fears are entertained that an attempt was made to burn the mill. The dynamite house a Yuba City merchant's label.

Hillsborough, March 12.—It is just plain Mr. Hubert after today. Deputy Sheriff Walter S. Hubert loses his star and San Mateo county loses its police chief. Sheriff Hubert, the police and clubman, was appointed a deputy sheriff so that he could hunt mountain lions and keep traps off his large estate in taking out the employers' liability insurance for the county. District Attorney Franklin Stuart found that under the law the county could not pay for the insurance of Sheriff Hubert's deputies. In order to relieve himself of the responsibility Sheriff Hubert has had to call in nearly all of them.

Stanford University, March 12.—Rev. Charles L. Eklert of Grace Church, New York City, has been appointed West memorial lecturer at Stanford university for 1915-16. Rev. Eklert is a Harvard graduate. The West lectures are given every two years on immortality. A \$10,000 fund is provided by Raymond West for these lectures, which are given in memory of West's son, a former Stanford student.

"Alameda county is morally obligated to pass the bond issue. Had the county not have desired to donate this money toward the Exposit-1915 Exposition, it would have said directly after the money was promised, I expect to vote for the bonds and any influence which I may have with the voters will be used in favor of the issue."—B. R. Aiken, attorney.

**WINTER DOUBLE WORK.**  
In summer the work of eliminating poisons and acids from the blood is helped by perspiration. In cold weather, with little outdoor work or exercise to cause sweating, the kidneys have to do double work. Foley's Kidney Remedy, with little outdoor work or exercise to cause sweating, the kidneys have to do double work. Foley's Kidney Remedy, with little outdoor work or exercise to cause sweating, the kidneys have to do double work.

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### CHURCH NOTICES

**ASSOCIATED BIBLE STUDENTS.**  
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(Associated Bible Students)  
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Bible classes, 3 and 4:30 P. M.  
Public Service, 7:45 P. M.  
Discourse by W. M. WISDOM of N. Y.

**"The Distress of Nations"**  
THEN  
**"The Desire of All Nations"**  
The public is invited: bring your friends.  
SEATS FREE. NO COLLECTION.

**SPIRITUAL**  
**TRINITY SPIRITUAL CHURCH, 529 12th**—Meetings every Sunday evening 7:45 P. M., Mich. 14, extra message service with short address; questions and many personal messages; song service with solos; Rev. S. Cowell, F. K. Brown, Mrs. A. McMillen and others; all welcome.

**SPIRITUALIST AID AND MISSION, 2318** San Pablo; Dr. Francis Cutting, pastor—Lecture and messages every Sun. 8 P. M.; Amanda Smith, Mrs. Loewen, Mr. Froeschner; message service Wed. 8 P. M.

**SPIRITUAL TRANCE** message meeting Wed. 8 P. M.; Dr. Emma Gill; 525 13th st.; Oak. 8221.

**FIRST TEMPLE OF SPIRITUALISM, "Lincoln Hall," 470 13th st.**—healing circle; 3 P. M., lecture by Mary A. Wells; solo by Mrs. Milner; messages by Mrs. Nanning, Knott, Mitchell and L. E. Wells, pastor.

**SPIRITUAL THOUGHT EXCHANGE, 559** 18th st.; Sun. 8 P. M. subject, "Spirit Power"; messages, good music; occult class Tues and Thurs. eve.; messages by Mrs. Tyler-Moulton; consultation daily. Phone Lakeside 1274.

**SPIRITUALIST MEETING SUN., 8 P. M., 555** 25th st.; trumpet spirit messages, Mr. Dickson. Phone Lakeside 1271.

**FIRST SPIRITUAL CHURCH, Oakland,** Athens ave., near San Pablo ave.; Lucinda Parsons, pastor—Sun., 8 P. M. lecture and messages, Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Walters; Tues., 8 P. M., benefit circle; Wed., 8 P. M., message meeting.

**FRUITVALE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH,** Sun. 2 P. M., union meeting for the benefit of the State convention in Sept. workers from San Francisco and Oakland; good music; every one invited; free; at 1 P. M. as usual.

**GOLD POOL ENDED.**  
By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, March 13.—Formal announcement was made yesterday of the termination of the \$100,000,000 gold pool organization in the early weeks of the European war by New York banks and trust companies to stabilize foreign exchange between New York and London. All subscribers to the pool have been repaid the amount of their contributions.

**Look to Reno—prompt service**  
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## SCULPTRESS, IN DRESS, IS FORGIVING POET KANNO NOT TRUE MATE BUT HER SISTER SAYS, "SHE'S INSANE"



GERTRUDE BOYLE KANNO AND TAKESHI KANNO AS THEY APPEARED IN PRODUCTION OF JAPANESE POET'S POEM-DRAMA, "CREATION DAWN."

### Gertrude Boyle, in Jail, Scoffs at Being Charged With Insanity by Family

"Well may his nature be likened to the crystal dragon; his mind, his spirit, resembling the flight of that mystic being—plunging deep in the great sea of philosophy, seeking some hidden jewel in its gloom-cavern; rising to hover like a cloud of doubt over the waters of feeling; soaring to lofty mountain peaks of religion, wrapped in the mists of inspiration; on the wings of the wind drifting, floating, sailing o'er purple seas of down, over flower plains of poetry and love; whirling with the wild ecstasy of passion sounds, bending dreaming ear to the silent song of gentle midnight storm of endless longing. A dragon breathing life and death, breathing the breath of poetry and with fear bending to the voice of naked creation, this minstrel sounds for us unknown strains, whirling us into the very center of feeling, where we behold the mists of creation rising about us, and 'hear the deep drone of mingling waves—the great sounds of eternal tides!'"

I plunge into the vast bligness of chaos.

Sublime music guides my soul. Feeling blending into dream world—My mind flows into soul of universe. So naturally comes my song."

That is what Gertrude Boyle Kanno thought and said about her poet-husband, Count Takeshi Kanno only two short years ago. This is an extract from a preface written by Mrs. Kanno for the book "Creation-Dawn" published by Count Kanno in 1912.

And in that same book, Kanno, drawing his inspiration from his wife's skinned wife, wrote under the title, "Woman's Age Dawning":

"This is woman's age!"

"The barbaric age pretty near its ending."

"Barbaric beauty represents man; woman represents softened beauty."

"War, warrior, bloodshed, belong to wild beauty."

"Soft beauty is the very center of soul or spirit; breath of creation, creation, nature of every element, delicate, refined."

"Woman stands or is born for beauty; man for truth."

"But beauty is warmer than truth, also embraces."

"Beauty touches more human life—yet more ethereal—delicate than truth."

"Truth is heavy."

"If truth is stone, beauty is the moss."

"Soft beauty embraces hard truth, as in human beings."

"This is beauty age, not barbaric age."

"Poetry belongs to woman. Philosophy belongs to man."

"Awake, woman! The world is advancing toward your warm, soft civilization."

"Woman, woman, what mysterious being thou art!"

"Oh woman, everlasting woman, thou art the gate of Heaven."

Count Kanno is now realizing the truth of his own poetic sayings of two years ago. "Woman, woman, what mysterious being thou art!" For his wife

wife, Gertrude Boyle Kanno, noted sculptor and artist, is confined in a lunatic asylum, the Central emergency hospital in San Francisco, awaiting a hearing on an insanity charge.

A SHORT, QUICK PATH.

The path that led her from a studio at 491 California street, San Francisco, to the detention ward of a public hospital was short, but eventful. Her experience, as revealed today by her friends, relatives and herself, sounds as weird and mystic as the Oriental philosophy which she has studied with her poet-husband since they were married eight years ago.

While Mrs. Kanno awaits an insanity hearing before Judge Graham next Monday, Count Kanno is held incommunicado in the rooms of Willard Hatch in the Congress Hotel, each persistently refusing admittance to all who seek to visit the Japanese.

Behind Mrs. Kanno's arrest yesterday lies a strange, three-cornered love story. It is this love story, in which two Japanese men—a poet and a sculptor—and an American woman, play the leading roles, that caused, primarily, Miss Helen E. Boyle, 483 Corbett street, San Francisco, a sister of Mrs. Kanno's, to prefer the insanity charges which resulted yesterday in the detention of the sculptress.

Without tremor, without hesitation, Mrs. Kanno admits frankly that she desired to divorce Kanno that she may be the mate of E. Ishigaki, 23 years of age, who, like herself, fashions things of fire out of dead clay. It is this Japanese who has been ill for the past three days, and whom Mrs. Kanno has been tenderly nursing back to health, while her husband, Count Kanno, brooded and yearned for her at "The Heights," the Joaquin Miller home in the Fruitvale hills.

"I love Kanno," she said at the hospital today. "He is a great man and has a wonderful brain. However, I came to the conclusion a long time ago that neither one of us was doing the other any good. His love for me was intellectually depressing. I depended on me for everything. When my friends, who had the courage of their convictions, used to present matrimonial failure for me, I laughed in public, but I always felt that they were right—not for the reasons that they conceived up, but because I would tire of the Japanese and the Oriental viewpoint—but because we were not suited. My husband was like a millstone about my neck. I could not live with my art. I could see that my effect on him was also depressing."

"So I tried to get him interested in other women. I introduced him to Ruth St. Denis and Maud Allan. He is a true poet, and they introduced the poetry of motion. I wanted to find for him an intellectual affinity. I felt these differences more and more keenly until I met the boy. (The boy is Ishigaki.) Mrs. Kanno always referred to him as 'the boy.' That was about three years ago. When we secured twin studios in this building I began to love him. He loved me. I told my husband, and he took it in the line spirit that he always shows. As first he suggested that we all live together in artistic amity, but I explained that this could not be, as my

intellectual and artistic sympathies were with the boy, and that he had better go away."

"Well, Kanno did go away. He returned to 'The Heights,' where he had taken Gertrude Boyle as his bride eight years ago. But he could not forget his white wife. His love for her surmounted his desire to please her in every way, and for two days he sought her. He could not find her, so he called upon his sister-in-law, Miss Helen Boyle, with whom he has never been on friendly terms. He explained the situation, and Miss Boyle telephoned to Mrs. Kanno.

"I tried to effect a reconciliation, to patch the matter up," Mrs. Boyle said last night. They asked me if it were true that I had left my husband for another Japanese. I replied: 'I am trying to live my life in my own way. Yes, I did that.' And they all nodded wisely, as though they were a sure sign of insanity."

"I am here as the result of an attempt to railroad me to an asylum."

Ishigaki is known as a clever young artist in San Francisco. He is a sculptor and painter.

Gertrude Boyle and Takeshi Kanno were married in Seattle, May 22, 1907. They were unable to have the ceremony performed in California. The two made their home at "The Heights" for several years. Miss Boyle had been secretary to Joaquin Miller, and Kanno had been the venerable poet's protegee.

Hatch, who is now holding Kanno incommunicado, has been in the public eye frequently. He was for a time probation officer in Denver, and was publicly dismissed by Judge Ben B. Lindsey of juvenile court fame. In February, 1911, Hatch resigned under fire as chief probation officer of the San Francisco Detention House following charges preferred against him by Dr. Annie G. Lyle, physician of the home.

## DOG RESCUES TWO FROM DEATH

Faithful Retriever Warns Mistress, Who Has Narrow Escape.

HAYWARD, March 12.—A faithful dog saved its mistress, Mrs. Annie Williams, and her two children, from being burned to death in a fire which destroyed their house in Ashland early this morning. By its insistent barking the faithful canine warned Mrs. Williams something was wrong and rushing and going to the head of the stairs she found the lower story a mass of flames. Had they not been awakened by the barking Mrs. Williams and her daughter would have found escape impossible a few moments later.

As it was they had great difficulty in descending the stairway, the railing of which had already taken fire. Volumes of smoke from the rooms below almost drove them back, but hand in hand the plucky mother and daughter reached the front door and escaped to the open air. Fire minutes later the room in which they had been sleeping was ablaze.

Their first act in reaching safety was to free the retriever, which, chained in a kennel close to the burning house, was in danger of meeting the fate from which he had saved his mistress.

As the Williams house is situated outside the fire limits of either San Leandro or Hayward and in the middle of a road, it was not until the fire had reached the house that it was discovered. The house, which was largely remodeled, and valuable furniture were a total loss.

The damage, estimated at about \$6000, is partly covered by insurance. Mrs. Williams' husband, who was away from home at the time, arrived this morning. The origin of the blaze is a mystery.

Neighbors of the Williams came to their assistance and Mrs. Williams and her daughter were cared for by Mrs. H. C. Cutting.

## LE BALLISTER FAVORS EFFICIENCY SYSTEM

Fred W. LeBallister, candidate for commissioner No. 1, spoke yesterday afternoon to the members of the Oakland Civic Center at the Hotel Oakland. Mrs. E. C. Robinson presided. LeBallister explained to his hearers that he believed in administering public affairs on a humanitarian basis, and favored efficiency to secure the best results rather than economy gained at the expense of the welfare of the people.

LeBallister spoke last night at a meeting of the Women's Municipal League, of which Mrs. R. C. Young is president.

## DISCOVERS INTENDED VICTIM IS COP: FLEES

Patrolman Habernik last night fired five shots at a man whom he believes to be a bandit and who was about to attempt to hold him up. The man approached Habernik when he was patrolling his beat in Rawson avenue, and started to speak to him.

Suddenly catching the glint of light on the patrolman's star the man fled. Habernik shouted to the fugitive to halt, but he sped away in the darkness. Habernik emptied his revolver at the fleeing form.

## OH, BOYS! OH, GIRLS! LISTEN, LISTEN!

### Tomorrow Is Big Day for You

TRIBUNE HAS BIG SURPRISE IN STORE

Set the alarm clock tomorrow—something that—but it's a secret until tomorrow, so it wouldn't do to give any hints. Tomorrow's Sunday TRIBUNE will be a good setting for the big news, too, for it's going to be one of the best Sunday TRIBUNES ever issued. There will be all the big features from Doc Yak to Bobby Make-Believe, and plenty of special attractions.

But the biggest attraction to the boys and girls will be the big announcement. You can't miss it. It will cover a page.

So watch THE TRIBUNE tomorrow, boys and girls, and if you see THE TRIBUNE photographer today just keep your eye on him as you have for the past three days.

Remember! The big announcement tomorrow. Prepare for a surprise! Then get it!

## TO AID BRITISH FUND FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

The different British-American societies, namely the St. Andrew's Society, Clan Macdonald, Ladies of Glencoe, Sons and Daughters of Saint George, The Overseas Club and the Welsh Society, are all interested and working hard in the support of a grand entertainment to be given March 27 in the Macdonough Theater. The entire proceeds are to be devoted to the Prince of Wales Relief Fund for the Widows and Orphans of British Soldiers and Sailors. Mary C. Oakland, Berkeley and San Francisco's best talent have kindly volunteered their services for this occasion. The program will be a large one, and it has been impossible to find places on it for all who desired to assist in this worthy cause. Tickets are now on sale and everything points to a crowded house, and those intending being present should secure their seats early.

## Y. M. C. A. TO WORK IN GERMAN PRISON CAMPS

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, via London, March 13, 10:30 a. m.—A. C. Harte, representing the International Young Men's Christian Association, has obtained permission from the foreign office to establish branches of the Y. M. C. A. for religious work among the war prisoners in Germany. Authority has been granted to open branches at the Goettingen and Alsternburg camps, where the prisoners are mainly Russian and French. Germany is the first country to authorize such an undertaking, but Mr. Harte will ask other belligerent nations to follow his example.

## HIBERNIANS COMPLETE DANCE ARRANGEMENTS

The committee having in charge the annual ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which will be held on Tuesday evening, March 16, at Maple Hall, Fourteenth and Webster streets, has completed all arrangements. The grand march will start at 9 o'clock and will be preceded by musical numbers.

The committee in charge is R. J. Heene, chairman, D. P. Spillane, M. M. Ring, D. Murphy and B. J. Nolan.

## WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL DIES

Col. W. H. Crook, Disbursing Officer, Once Lincoln's Body Guard, Succumbs.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Colonel W. H. Crook, disbursing officer of the White House, who was President Lincoln's body guard, and who has been intimately acquainted with every president since 1860, died today at his home here. He had been sick with pneumonia more than a week.

President Wilson expressed deep regret when informed of Colonel Crook's death. Last January the colonel celebrated his fiftieth anniversary as an attaché of the white house.

Colonel Crook was survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Garton, who is 96 years old.

Fifty years of service as a White House employe, through the administrations of twelve presidents, made Colonel William H. Crook one of the most familiar figures in the national capital, and in his old age left him rich in personal reminiscences of the intimate side of White House life. The assassinations of Lincoln and Garfield, various weddings at the White House, and the impeachment of President Johnson, were among the many events which Colonel Crook recalled, in memory of his half-century of White House service.

He was taken from the Washington police force in 1865 and appointed President Lincoln's body guard. Prior to this he had served in the Union Army. He accompanied Lincoln on many of his walks and drives, and it was his duty to watch over the president during public receptions.

Colonel Crook told often of how, on the afternoon before Lincoln's assassination, the president had come to him in confidence and said that on three successive nights he had dreamed which foretold his murder. Crook thereupon begged the president not to go to the theatre that evening, as planned. Lincoln insisted, and furthermore would not hear of Crook accompanying him. He ordered Crook to go home and rest. As they parted, Lincoln failed to say "Good night."—the only time he ever failed to say it, said Crook.

Colonel Crook also always maintained that the substitute guard which became interested in the play and left his post of duty, and that if he himself had been present, Booth would never have entered the theatre box to shoot Lincoln. It was Colonel Crook, during the next administration, carried to President Johnson the first news of his acquittal on impeachment charges. He served as Johnson's body guard, and on the day the verdict was expected he was on hand. When he was told the news he ran all the way from the Capitol to the White House. The president's eyes filled with tears, and he gulped when Colonel Crook burst in with the tidings, later thanking him warmly for his trouble.

Colonel Crook was unusually close to President Grant and the members of his family, and in 1870 he was appointed "executive clerk to the President of the United States." Later, in 1877, President Grant made him disbursing officer of the White House, the position he held during the succeeding administration. It was during the Grant administration that life at the White House began to be more ceremonial.

Colonel Crook told how he drove Gutzon, president Garfield's assassin, away from the White House on occasions before he finally succeeded in killing the president. Gutzon had been accustomed to go into the reception room, ask after the health of the president, stay a short time and leave. He became obnoxious one day, and orders were given to keep him away. On the morning of the assassination the man returned to ask about the president's health, and Crook was worried when he heard of the affair. The president was not told of his fears, however, and in one of his books of "White House memories" Crook told how he found Garfield turning hand springs with his sons that morning.

Crook was in one of the White House windows when Garfield was brought back after being shot. The president was concerned about the assassin, and he was helped by some military soup, so he obtained a special permit, shot some squirrels, and supplied the soup.

Colonel Crook saw the White House marriages. He collected letters and other mementoes of the various presidents under whom he served, including notes from all the presidents who spoke in the highest terms of his faithfulness and abilities. On the occasion of his fiftieth anniversary of entering the White House service, which he celebrated January 1, 1915, he was presented with a beautiful cane, given by President Wilson and members of the White House staff.

## Sunday Tours for Motorists; Superior Routes for Travelers

For motorists arriving in Oakland on Creek Route boats there are two routes out of Oakland, one out Broadway to East Twelfth street, and one out Broadway to East Twelfth street, turn left on Thirteenth avenue one block to East Fourteenth street, continue out East Fourteenth to Twenty-fourth avenue, turn left on Twenty-fourth avenue one block to Foothill boulevard. This boulevard is quite rough as far as a High Street (East Fourteenth street from Twenty-fourth avenue to High Street is under construction, making it impossible for motorists to continue out East Fourteenth to High, thence to the Foothill boulevard, thus avoiding the rough part of Foothill boulevard).

The other route is to continue on East Twelfth street as far as Twenty-third street, then turn left to the Foothill boulevard.

Foothill boulevard is in excellent condition to Hayward, and the main road from Hayward to Niles is completed, thus avoiding detour to Decoto. From Niles the highway is completed with the exception of the top coat, and is in excellent condition for motor travel the entire distance to San Jose. The road through Milpitas for a distance of 100 yards is almost impassable. Careful driving is necessary here.

HAYWARD TO LIVERMORE.

From Hayward motorists may take the Dublin boulevard to Livermore. The Patterson pass from Livermore to Tracy is now open and is in fairly good condition before the rains of the last few days. Leave Livermore via E street to the end of the road, turn north and continue east the first cross road to the second, which is the Patterson Pass road. Continue over Patterson Pass road to the Mountain House road, turn north and continue to State Highway. This road will continue to improve with dry weather, but with rain become very slippery and not advisable.

The main road from Oakland through Berkeley, San Pablo, Pinole, Crockett, Port Costa to Martinez, closed. Under construction. Road from Oakland to Pinole via San Pablo creek, just south of town of San Pablo, now passable, although rough in places. Continued rain will make this road again impassable. From Pinole to Martinez via Franklin Canyon impassable.

The road to Foothill boulevard, Dublin canyon to Dublin and thence north

through the San Ramon valley to Walnut Creek is now in fairly good condition with the exception of about two miles near Danville.

From Niles through Niles Canyon to Sunol is at present under construction, but is promised to be open for motor travel about April 1. From Warm Springs northward to 31 above San Jose, and turning just beyond the Mission to the right instead of continuing on main road leads to the Spring Valley water filter at Sunol. Turn north at corner having large white posts and continue to Pleasanton. This road is in splendid condition and one of the prettiest trips around the bay as it leads over rolling green hills and past fruit and almond orchards when are in full bloom. In Pleasanton, by turning west at the Pleasanton Hotel and continuing about two miles, the road joins the Dublin boulevard road to Hayward.

DEL MONTE VIA SAN JOSE.

The best road to Del Monte is via the road to San Jose. State Highway is completed to Gilroy. At Gilroy leave Highway and go southwesterly to San Felipe, thence southerly to Hollister. In Hollister turn west on main street and go to San Jose. From San Jose turn west on Highway to Gilroy, to Redwood, or from Livermore through Patterson Pass to Tracy, thence back to Redwood.

tour to Hollister is necessary on account of construction work between Gilroy and San Juan making road impassable after leaving Sargent.)

Motorists may reach Santa Cruz via San Jose, Los Gatos and Cruz, or via county road via Hotel de Redwood (Hotel de Redwood is making a specialty of chicken dinners for motorists.) There is construction work on this road at Lexington and also from Patches to the summit, which does not interfere with motor travel excepting at a few rough and requires slow and careful driving.

The road from San Jose city limits through Santa Clara is in very poor condition, being very rough and rutted and requiring very careful driving. This is now under construction and will join the highway when completed.

Taking the Foothill boulevard as far as Estudillo avenue, which is cross the road turning south to San Leandro, turn left or north and continue around Lake Chabot. This is a beautiful drive through the summer months, but would not be advisable right after a rain, as the road is narrow and winding and a dirt road.

NAPA COUNTY TOURS.

Motorists wishing to tour through Napa county may go through Berkeley to the Tunnel road, thence to Walnut Creek, through the Inland valley (main road from Walnut Creek to Pacheco under construction and impassable) to Concord, thence to Martinez. The ferry from Martinez to Benicia leaves every two hours from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. From Benicia to Napa the road is in fairly good condition, being improved road as far as Napa Junction. From Napa to Sonoma through Shellville, Petaluma, to Rohnert Park, good condition, as well as Napa Junction to Sonoma and Fairfield. From Fairfield to Winters, Petaluma and Sacramento is impassable as it is over low land.

From San Jose to Gilroy and through the Pacheco Pass to Fresno is passable only as far as Los Banos, and not in good condition for motor travel. This is in midsummer.

The direct road from Livermore to Byron Hot Springs is under construction. The only road to the Tunnel road, Walnut Creek, Concord, Arden, to Redwood, or from Livermore through Patterson Pass to Tracy, thence back to Redwood.

What chance has Alameda county for a dividend from the Exposition bond?

A conservative estimate of the Exposition is \$15,000,000. Every visitor spends an average of \$2.19, of which the Exposition receives \$1.05. This would make the Exposition's share \$15,750,000. The estimated expense of the Exposition during the year will be \$3,250,000, leaving a net profit of \$12,500,000. Alameda county's share, if she invests in the million dollar bonds, would be \$1,250,000.

In other words, before the taxpayers of the county have a chance to vote on the bonds the county will have made a profit of \$235,000.

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## Boxers and Bandages: Ring Custom Abused

### 'Mr. Muldoon' Recalls Origin of Pugilistic Protections

(By MR. MULDON.)

**W**HEN Charley White stood up in the ring in the St. Louis Coliseum that other night and refused to take the bandage off his hands at the request of Frankie Calahan, the man he was going to fight, he called attention to a condition in this ring that has lasted for several years.

It brought out the query, too, on all sides as to just why boxers bandage their hands.

The answer is easy.

They bandage them, of course, to protect them from injury during the fight.

There are few hands naturally strong enough to withstand the impact with a bony surface such as a man's face when the blow is struck with the force that has behind a trained boxer's shoulder.

With the possible exception of "Kid" McCoy, who is now out on this coast, there is scarcely a fighter of prominence whose hands are not more or less bunged up.

Banding the knuckles in fact has become an art among the boxers and has often been an important factor in winning fights.

Ordinary insulation tape or adhesive bicycle tape is used.

It should be spread over the knuckles in such a way that it will protect the hand and still come within the rules requiring soft bandages.

Bob Fitzsimmons and "Kid" McCoy were the first to appreciate the fact that strips of linen or tape wound around the hands could be made to serve other purposes than those of protection.

The "Cornishman" used to put moistened plaster of Paris on his linen bandages and when the stuff hardened he had a rock-like ridge across his hands that—well, you can imagine the result when it landed on the other fellow's nose.

Jeffries, who in his fight at Frisco was terribly beaten by Fitz on the head and face, said that sometimes he felt as though lanky Bob had a horse-shoe in his mitt.

It may have been that in this fight with Jeffries, Fitz was making use of these plaster of Paris bandages.

McCoy, who today has fine hands, soaked them before each fight—largely with alcohol, which evaporated rapidly.

This alcohol had gum in it and the bandage dried rapidly as soon as the glove was drawn over it. By the time he came out at the bell he had a weapon in his hand that would put to shame the old Roman cestus.

McCoy in Corbett's place the other night in discussing the attitude of White in St. Louis said:

"Bandaging the hands right before a fight is just one-half of the battle. And there are more ways than one to bandaging them.

"When I am in a man's corner I begin by wrapping the hands near the

wrist, taking two or three turns of adhesive tape around that part of the member. Then I wind the bandage tightly around the hand, making my man close his fist as I stretch the tape, so that there is no stoppage of the circulation, as there would be if the tape was pulled tightly when the hand was open.

Over the knuckles I lay a double or treble portion of tape, to form a soft cushion. Then I wind the tape right around and over the knuckles, pulling it smoothly across the outside of the hand and twisting it into a sort of band across the palm. This band gives him a grip when he closes his hand.

"The result is a bandage perfectly smooth and tight on the knuckles, soft enough to conform to all rules and yet tight enough to protect the fist and keep it from getting hurt. That thing of having a little cushion of tape over the knuckles helps a whole lot."

### BILLIARD NOTES

The Russian billiard player of Alameda county, defeating Milo Condon at the Oakland billiard parlor last evening by a score of 103 to 96. The previous night's contest resulted in Condon's winning by a 50-to-49 score, but this lead was too

small to figure in the results. Cleverdon and Condon played another remarkable game, duplicating the preceding night's performance by a neck and neck struggle, inning for inning. At only one period was there more than three points difference.

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NEARLY 2,000,000 IN FAIR FIRST MONTH

Panama-Pacific Record Shows Lead Over Other Great Expositions.

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—Nearly two million people will have passed through the Exposition gates by the end of the first month of the big fair.

This was announced by the attendance officers this morning, following the compilation of a list of official figures on which an estimate was prepared.

Approximately only can be made at the present time, according to E. C. Conroy, chief of the department of admissions who, however, declares that the admissions will be 200,000 short of the two million mark.

The figure each day during sunny weather has ranged around the 60,000 mark, and for tomorrow and St. Patrick's day will bring heavy attendance. In fact, 400,000 are expected for the big Irish celebration.

Comparing the figures with those of the other big expositions, St. Louis and Chicago, the attendance bureau has issued the following table:

|                  | San Fran. | St. Louis | Chicago |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| First week.....  | 522,151   | 52,000    | 52,000  |
| Second week..... | 475,127   | 55,013    | 55,013  |
| Third week.....  | 423,710   | 402,439   | 312,861 |
| Fourth week..... | 490,000   | 407,593   | 474,974 |

Grand total first month.....1,888,338 1,889,157 1,257,455

Grand total admissions.....20,666,537

St. Louis.....20,666,537

Chicago.....27,539,521

\*San Francisco (based on attendance to date).....23,370,132

\*Estimated.

The following is a record of the daily attendance at the Exposition from the opening day to date:

|                                    |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| February 20 (opening day).....     | 245,142 |
| February 21 (Sunday).....          | 73,431  |
| February 22.....                   | 125,423 |
| February 23.....                   | 24,604  |
| February 24.....                   | 42,972  |
| February 25.....                   | 56,235  |
| February 26.....                   | 60,315  |
| February 27 (Grand Prix race)..... | 81,383  |
| February 28 (Sunday).....          | 87,183  |
| March 1.....                       | 52,121  |
| March 2.....                       | 51,559  |
| March 3.....                       | 45,726  |
| March 4.....                       | 52,654  |
| March 5 (Vanderbilt race).....     | 122,395 |
| March 6 (Sunday).....              | 86,841  |
| March 7.....                       | 38,145  |
| March 8.....                       | 49,018  |
| March 9.....                       | 53,351  |
| March 10.....                      | 49,000  |
| March 11 (estimated).....          | 30,609  |

Total three weeks ending to-night (estimated).....1,468,333

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COCOA TO CARAMELS; FINE CHOCOLATE EXHIBIT

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The process of making chocolate products, showing the work from the time the chocolate is gathered in its raw material to the final perfection of the different cocoa, stick chocolates and other materials is shown in a remarkable exhibit maintained by the D. Ghirardelli Company, one of California's most famous pioneer factories.

The exhibit shows the work from the transportation of the raw cocoa beans in bulk to the finished food packages, and the same of the goods are distributed. The exhibit is one of the most striking factory displays in the Exposition.

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ALAMEDA CHORUS GETS READY FOR "MESSIAH"

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The Alameda County 1915 Chorus rehearsed today in Festival Hall in preparation for the rendition of Handel's "Messiah," which will be heard Monday evening. Alexander Stewart, who is directing the chorus, declares the hall admirably suited for the purpose. The rehearsal was letter perfect.

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BEACHY TO BE HONORED WITH EXPOSITION MEDAL

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—Lincoln Beachy, the aviator, who was the first birdman in America to execute the looping the loop feature of aeroplaning, is to be honored by the Panama-Pacific Exposition on March 23. This date marks the tenth anniversary of Beachy's advent in the aviation field, and the officials of the exposition have decided to present him with a commemorative bronze medal.

The presentation will be made by Townsend Mullaly with appropriate ceremonies.

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PRETTY GIRLS WITH ORANGES MAKE HIT WITH U. S. MARINES



ONE OF UNCLE SAM'S BOYS FROM THE BATTLESHIP OREGON RECEIVING TRIBUTE OF POPPIES AND GIANT ORANGES FROM THREE PRETTY GIRLS AT THE KERN COUNTY BOOTH. THE GIRLS (LEFT TO RIGHT) ARE: MISS BERTHA COHEN, MISS DOROTHY ALMSTEAD, (LOWER), MISS BLANCHE DYKES, WALTER A. LACEY, SAILOR.

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—"We love the cows and the chickens—but the oranges are the big business!"

This was the message received today at the Exposition grounds by the fair maid who yesterday distributed Kern county oranges to the marines from the Exposition camp. Three pretty girls divided a big cargo of oranges among the Exposition crowds—and the marines got the biggest part of them. There was a stampede of boys in blue about the display as Miss Bertha Cohen, Miss Dorothy Almstead and Miss Blanche Dykes acted as hostesses.

"We like your girls and we like your oranges," read the note of thanks from the marines today. "We saw your displays and we ate the oranges—and we will willingly concede the prettiest girls, the biggest oranges, and the hottest sunshine—if you want to claim it to Kern."

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Oh, Joy! '49 Camp Opens Again; Naughty Features Eliminated

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The Forty-Nine Camp is open again. It's a real Forty-Nine Camp now—a nice, gentlemanly and ladylike Forty-Nine Camp, with all the "rough stuff" carefully deleted by the censors of the Exposition. The gay maidens, the two-bit beer, and the other gleeful features that were abroad in the place when the fair was first opened, are not among those present. Outdoor spectacles in which cowboys will perform equestrian feats, and special entertainments will be featured.

"Still, a Forty-Nine Camp never was expected to be a Sunday School," declares the management. "There are many new features."

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MANY VISITORS COME TO TRIBUNE BOOTH

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—Visitors still continue to flock into the TRIBUNE booth, Liberal Arts Building, Third street, between Avenues C and D. The booth is an attractive feature at the Exposition, and the demonstration of the different art processes is interesting.

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PARK EXPERTS AT GREAT EXPOSITION

Delegates and Families Given Guard of Honor; Bronze Plaque Presented.

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The convention of National Park Superintendents was given its first day of sight-seeing on the exposition grounds this morning and was welcomed by a delegation of exposition officials. The members of the convention and their families were met at the Fillmore street entrance by a military guard of honor and a reception committee from the exposition and escorted to the Southern Pacific building. A bronze plaque was then presented to the delegates and was received by Chairman Mark Daniels of Berkeley, who responded in behalf of the convention. Daniels also gave a fifteen-minute address on the subject of "National Parks."

The session this morning was rather brief, the delegates dispersing soon to tour the fair grounds. Their observations as experts on parks and park-making will be interesting in view of the fact that the exposition was laid out by John McLaren, a Californian and an expert whose experience is confined entirely to the west.

McLaren, who practically created Golden Gate Park, is believed by all to be the best landscape gardener and his production will be viewed by no more critical eye during the entire exposition than by the members of the convention today taking their first tour through the grounds.

PIONEER OAKLANDER DIES

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Larsh, pioneer resident of this city, was held this afternoon from the funeral parlors of Albert E. Brown, where she had been taken from her home, 1015 Chestnut street. Mrs. Larsh was the widow of Benjamin Larsh, and leaves seven children, one of whom, Arlen Larsh, is well known in railroad circles on the coast.

SAVANT TO SPEAK. Professor J. W. Gregg of the University of California will be the principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Alameda Floral Society, which will be held at the Oakland chamber of commerce on the evening of Monday, March 15, at 8 o'clock. Professor Gregg will lecture on "Orchids." The public will be welcome.

BARRETT, ORATOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY

A. O. H. Plans Mighty Celebration at Exposition on March 17.

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—John J. Barrett will be orator of the day on St. Patrick's day, March 17, at the Exposition. The committee on the selection of orator, William McDonnell, John Donohoe and Mrs. James Carroll, made the announcement yesterday. Barrett is one of the most prominent attorneys and best known public speakers in the state. He will deliver his oration in the afternoon of March 17 in Festival Hall.

Mrs. T. P. O'Dowd, president of Division No. 5 of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and past county president, said yesterday that the celebration would not be for the California Irish alone, as she had received letters from friends in Canada and several of the eastern states that large delegations would be here by March 17.

"Locally the interest in Ireland's day at the Exposition almost surpasses that of St. Patrick's day," said Mrs. O'Dowd, "and all the Irish are determined to make March 17 the greatest of the entire exposition period. Many of the special trains that are arriving from the east have special cars attached bearing parties of our society that are coming to take part in the celebration of St. Patrick's day."

Vice-President George T. Brady of Division No. 4 of the Ancient Order of Hibernians yesterday paid cash for 200 tickets for members and said that he would get 500 more later this week. He said that Division No. 4 would play an important part at the members would be present at the Exposition grounds to a man. Several members will take part in the track meet, horse show and football game. Secretary Marc Fitzgerald will be one of the members of the all-star football team and Treasurer T. O'Day will assist Dr. J. C. Quinn with the details of the horse show.

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POLO TOURNEY ATTRACTS EXPERTS FROM EAST

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—Polo talk is heard on every side just now and all thoughts are turned toward the opening game of the Polo Tournament next Tuesday afternoon on the Exposition field.

Eastern players and players from the west are going to compete.

The Cooperstown, N. Y., team will play the Mustang team of Pasadena. Recent arrivals in San Francisco are G. Maurice Hecksher of New York and Mrs. Hecksher. He will play on the Aiken, S. C. Freebooters, as will also A. J. Drevel Paul of Philadelphia, who is to reach San Francisco accompanied by Mrs. Drevel. Thomas Le Boutellier II, with Mrs. Boutellier who was Miss Stevenson of New York, a sister of Malcolm Stevenson, is now in Southern California but will be here shortly, with the third man on the Aiken team, of which the other players are J. C. Cooley of New York, who is now in San Francisco as polo manager, being an authority on the subject as well as a player and a writer of polo.

Paul H. Mills, who married Miss Paul, a sister of A. J. Drevel Paul, will be member of the Devon Freebooters' team of Philadelphia and the other players will be E. Lowther Stokes, Stanley Stokes and Howard Phipps, all of whom are unmarried. Further Kahan will leave New York for San Francisco March 15.

All of the Army players are here, among them Lieutenant and Mrs. Frank Keller of Texas City, who are visiting Mrs. Keller's brother and sister-in-law, Captain and Mrs. John Burke Murphy at Fort Mason.

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LABOR FORCES GATHER FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The labor forces of the state are gathering in San Francisco today for the opening of the annual convention of the State Building Trades Council to begin next Monday, in connection with the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Questions of greater importance in the world of organized labor will be discussed. One of the important things to be considered is the raising of the defense of M. A. Schmidt and David Kaplan, now awaiting trial in Los Angeles on murder charges growing out of the Helix Angeles dynamite case. The initiative to give Schmidt and Kaplan this support has already been taken by the San Francisco Building Trades Council, which has sanctioned the move.

P. H. McCarthy, former Mayor of San Francisco and president of the council, will preside.

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"THE GLOBE" GREAT ATTRACTION AT FAIR

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—"The Globe" is one of the attractive and interesting exhibits at the Exposition. An immense sphere, 51 feet in diameter and 44 feet in height, showing upon its face a map of North America, the great geography lesson is the exhibit of the Western Pacific-Denver and Rio Grande-Missouri Pacific Iron Mountain lines, and the lines of the railway system, from San Francisco to St. Louis, are depicted upon its surface.

Trains of colored lights move about the little tracks, stopping at the different cities, the names of which are illuminated at their arrival time.

A replica of the famous Maxwell Park is also shown in the exhibit. Inside the globe models of the scenic attractions of the different roads are shown.

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AUSTRALIAN BOYS ARE GUESTS IN ALAMEDA

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—The Australian Commission was entertained yesterday at a luncheon tendered by President C. C. Moore and the directors of the fair. Alfred Deakin and his fellow commissioners spoke on the Exposition, praised California and President Moore congratulated Australia on its wonderful showing at the fair.

Jurke William R. Lamar, Commissioner Arthur Arlett, Frank G. Brown, British Consul-General A. Carnegie Ross, P. E. Quinn, E. T. A. Fricke and Alfred Deakin each spoke.

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MISSOURI GREETSTULARE AT FAIR

Orange Shower for 'Show Me' Natives Feature of Two Dedications.

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, March 12.—"It's a long way to Tulare," that is, when you start from the state of Missouri. In spite of the extreme length of the journey a great many people have made it and today finds Tulare a veritable reproduction of the "Show Me" state. Due to this fact, Missouri and Tulare are dedicating the program of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition both on Saturday. At least this is the interpretation of people from Tulare, led by J. Sub Johnson, who hails from St. Louis, the Tulare delegation looked in on their home people and wished them well. Similarly Missourians visited the California building and learned of the "new Missouri."

Tulare county boosters were ready to show their "show me" attitude that they are still producing hay and grain and dairy cattle as they did in the days of the early settlement. They are doing a great deal more. The present statistics on prunes and grapes, and further still are preparing to direct attention to the fact that they are the largest producers of oranges in the west. That this latter fact might sink deep, oranges were souvenirs of the day and were given away during the afternoon. Each orange carried an attractive little sticker telling of Tulare.

Tulare's delegation arrived in San Francisco this morning and proceeded to the Scott-street gate of the Exposition, where they were met by Exposition officials, a guard escort and the Exposition band. After parading to the California building they assisted in the formal dedication. The afternoon reception was held at the county's booth.

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FARMERS TURN TO WHEAT

SALEM, Ore., March 12.—Many farmers about Salem have ploughed up their clover fields in order to plant wheat, and the increase in acreage sown to that grain will be great in this section on account of the war prices. Prospects are encouraging for good crops.

How much will the million dollar Exposition bond issue cost the taxpayer of Alameda county?

County Treasurer Kelly says that the bond levy would mean but a cost of 26 cents for the first year on property assessed at \$1000. The cost would reduce annually until it would divide away to almost nothing, making an average of 18 cents per year on property assessments of \$1000. Mr. Kelly bases his calculation on the 1911 valuation of the county and declares that the valuation of the county will probably increase materially and that the cost to the taxpayer for the redemption of the Exposition bonds will divide away to almost nothing.

CIRCUS PIONEER DEAD

NEW YORK, March 12.—The death of William Washington Cole, old-time circus man, in this city on Wednesday night, became known today. Cole was in his 69th year. W. W. Cole's circus was absorbed by the Barnum & Bailey organization.

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BANKER'S WIFE GIVEN INTERLOCUTORY DECREE

Case B. Downing, San Francisco banker, was divorced by his wife, Anita M. Downing, yesterday in an interlocutory decree signed by Superior Judge Waste. Mrs. Downing charged that her husband had treated her in a cruel manner. On one occasion she said he threatened her occupation of composing music while at home by breaking the crockery, and that further than that he had failed to provide for her properly.

MISSING CROCKETT MAN'S BODY FOUND. IS THOUGHT

CROCKETT, March 12.—The remains of an unknown man, believed to be Patrick Shea, the nightwatchman at the sugar refinery wharf at Crockett, who was reported missing several months ago, were found floating near Glen Cove Friday, and removed to Valhalla. The remains were attired in a blue suit and the man was wearing a sweater when he met his death.

Nightwatchman Shea disappeared from the sugar refinery wharf during the night several months ago, and as a pool of blood was found on the wharf the theory was advanced that he had been slain and his body thrown overboard. Despite the fact that a reward was offered and the bay thoroughly searched, no trace was ever secured of the remains, but it is now believed that the body has given up its dead.

AUDITORS CENSURED

SANTA FE, N. M., March 12.—Gov. W. C. McDonald and Howell Furness, traveling state auditor, have been severely censured in the report of the legislative joint investigating committee on the failure of the First State Bank of Las Cruces.

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